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FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

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Debt Capacity





December 27, 2021

To The Honorable Chairman and Honorable Members of County Council and the Citizens of Colleton County, South Carolina:

State law requires that all general-purpose local governments publish, within six months of the close of each fiscal year, a complete set of financial statements presented in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles ("GAAP") and audited in accordance with generally accepted accounting standards by a firm of licensed certified public accountants. Pursuant to that requirement, we hereby issue the annual comprehensive financial report of Colleton County, South Carolina (the "County") for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2021.

This report consists of management's representations concerning the finances of the County. Consequently, management assumes full responsibility for the completeness and reliability of all the information presented in this report. To provide a reasonable basis for making these representations, management of the County has established a comprehensive internal control framework, which is designed both to protect the government's assets from loss, theft, or misuse and to compile enough reliable information for the preparation of the County's financial statements in conformity with GAAP. Because the costs of internal controls should not outweigh their benefits, the County's comprehensive framework of internal controls has been designed to provide reasonable, rather than absolute, assurance that the financial statements will be free from material misstatement. As management, we assert that to the best of our knowledge and belief, this financial report is complete and reliable in all material respects.

The County's financial statements have been audited by Mauldin & Jenkins LLC, a firm of licensed certified public accountants. The goal of the independent audit was to provide reasonable assurance that the financial statements of the County for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2021, are free of material misstatement. The independent audit involves examining on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statement presentation; assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management and evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. The independent auditor concluded, based upon the audit, that there was a reasonable basis for rendering an unmodified opinion that the County's financial statements for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2021, are fairly presented in conformity with GAAP. The independent auditor's report is presented as the first component of the financial section of this report.

GAAP requires that management provide a narrative introduction, overview, and analysis to accompany the basic financial statements in the form of the Management's Discussion and Analysis ("MD&A"). This letter of transmittal is designed to complement the MD&A and should be read in conjunction with it. The County's MD&A can be found immediately following the report of the independent auditors.

Profile of the Government

The County was founded in 1682 through a land grant to Sir John Colleton by King Charles II, of England and was one of the original proprietary counties in the present-day Carolinas. It was officially formed in 1798 and is in the southeastern part of South Carolina bordering on the Atlantic Ocean. The County is in the Lowcountry region of South Carolina, and it is located midway between Charleston, South Carolina and Savanah, Georgia on the I-95 corridor. The County occupies a large land area that is 1,056.48 square miles and has a population of roughly 38,600.

The County is empowered to levy a property tax on both real and personal properties located within its boundaries. The County operates under the Council-Administrator form of government. Policy-making and legislative authority are vested in a governing council consisting of five members. In addition to policy-making and legislative authority that are vested with the Council, they also have the responsibility to pass ordinances, adopt the budget, appoint committees, and hire both the County Administrator and County Attorney. The County Administrator is responsible for the administration of all the departments of the County government which County Council has the authority to control. The powers and duties of the County Administrator include: 1) executing policies, directives, and legislative actions of County Council; 2) directing operational and administrative activities of the County; 3) preparing annual budgets; 4) supervising the expenditure of funds; and 5) employing and discharging personnel. The five Council members are each elected from residence districts or at-large for four-year staggered terms, with three council members elected every two years, and two elected every two years. County elections occur in the fall of even-numbered years.

The County provides a full range of services including:

- (1) Public Safety (including law enforcement, County-wide emergency dispatch services and detention facilities).
- (2) Fire and Rescue (including emergency preparedness, emergency medical services and fire protection in the unincorporated areas of the County through 34 fire stations).
- (3) Animal and Environmental Control.
- (4) Public Works (including street and drainage maintenance).
- (5) Solid Waste Management (waste disposal and recycling at the County landfill and 15 convenience sites).
- (6) Judicial Administration (including prosecuting and public defender legal services, criminal, civil, probate and family court administration).
- (7) Tax Collection and Disbursal.
- (8) Libraries.
- (9) Recreation (Recreation Center, Community Centers, Dogwood Hills Golf Course and Restaurant, Colleton County Museum and Commercial Kitchen, Colleton Civic Center and Colleton County Farmers Market).
- (10) Planning and Zoning Administration.
- (11) Veterans Assistance.

The annual budget serves as the foundation for the County's financial planning and control. All departments of the County are required to submit requests for appropriations to administration during the spring of each year. The County Administrator uses these requests as the starting point for developing a proposed budget. The County Administrator then presents this proposed budget to the Council for review during May of each year. The Council is required to hold a public hearing on the proposed budget and to adopt a final budget prior to June 30th, the close of the County's fiscal year. The appropriated budget is prepared by fund and department. Budgetary control (that is the level at which expenditures cannot legally exceed the appropriated amount) is maintained by the Administrator at the fund level and may be amended as necessary during the fiscal year. Budget-to-actual comparisons are provided in the report for each individual department by governmental fund for which an appropriated annual budget has been adopted. For the general fund, this comparison is presented as part of the required supplementary information for governmental funds.

Factors Affecting Financial Condition

The information presented in the financial statements is perhaps best understood when it is considered from the broader perspective of the specific environment within which the County operates.

Economic Factors

The County's fiscal year 2021 assessable property tax base is \$193,167,536 which represented growth of 6.8% from 2020's assessable property tax base of \$180,910,266. This growth in assessed values was driven in part by growth in real property that is a result of the continued high volume of home sales and home refinancing activity due to mortgage rates remaining near historical lows. The home refinancing has led residents to undertake building new homes as well as existing home renovations as seen in the over 1,300 building permits issued that total valuation of \$45.3 million. In addition, personal property assessed values saw significant growth based on previously announced business expansions as well as new businesses beginning operations in the County. As reported by the U.S. Census Bureau, median household income for the County in 2021 was forecasted at \$36,324 which continues to be less than 70% of the median household income of the State of South Carolina that was reported at \$53,199. The County is continuing to rebound from the economic impact incurred from COVID-19 during fiscal year 2020. This rebound is evidenced by the reduction in County unemployment which was 4.7% as of June 2021 as compared to 8.2% as of June 2020. Unemployment in the County was roughly the same as the rate for South Carolina of 4.5% and slightly better than the U.S. rate of 6.1%. The rebound was also seen in the growth in retail sales which increased by over 9% for the year and drove increases in collection of 1% local option taxes, 1% capital projects taxes, and 2% local hospitality taxes. The U.S. Census Bureau reported the April 2020 population for the County to be 38,604 as compared to the April 2010 census of 38,892 which represents less than a 1% decrease in population. County population continues to be primarily located within the Walterboro City Census Division ("CCD") as well as near the other CCDs within the County, including the Hendersonville CCD and Cottageville CCD. Given the stagnant population, the median age of the County remains at 42.5 which is roughly 10% higher than the median age in South Carolina of 39.4 and in the United States of 38.1. Housing in the County continues to be dominated with owner occupied units with over 75% as compared to the State of South Carolina average of 70% based on the most recently available data. Median home values have increased to \$130.870, which is up 45% from the previously reported amount of \$90.400 though it is still lower than the State of South Carolina average of \$228,000.

A large part of the County is served with easy access to Interstate 95 with five interchanges that include exits 42, 53, 57, 62 and 68. In addition to this major interstate artery, the County has direct access to both Highway 17 and Highway 17A that provide connection to the cities and towns of Charleston, Beaufort, Savannah, and Summerville. The City of Walterboro is situated between exits 53 and 57 off Interstate 95 and is currently beginning the infrastructure work related to the final phase of the I-95 business loop improvement project that is funded with a portion of the proceeds from the Capital Project Sales Tax referendum that voters approved in November 2014. This project is geared to improve the access of visitors into the downtown area from I-95 as well as from South Carolina Highways 17A and 64 that connects to South Carolina Highway 17.

Economic Development Goals and Strategies

Fiscal year 2020-2021 posed some significant challenges to Colleton County Economic Development based on many corporate planners' inability to forecast their respective company's future growth needs. This inability to forecast did cause several active projects to be shelved along with companies "tightening their belts" based on the thinking that consumers would curtail their spending. For a lot of industries, just the opposite occurred, and many companies are now trying to get their projects off the shelf and back on track.

During the fiscal year, the County has been able to add two new manufacturing companies and had two existing manufacturers expand their local presence. HOS Boatworks acquired an existing industrial site with Interstate 95 frontage and is planning to invest \$250 thousand and employing a staff of 15 to manufacture their specialty flat and bay boats. In addition to HOS Boatworks, Apex Mattress Company purchased an existing industrial site and is planning to invest \$2.3 million and employing 49 to manufacture mattresses for various retail and e-commerce businesses. The company plans to be operational during the first quarter of calendar year 2022. Carolina Textiles and Paper Converters, both existing County manufacturers, announced industrial expansion projects. The expansions represent a combined investment of \$2.6 million and up to 30 new jobs.

The County continues to invest time and resources in the development of three major County industrial sites. The sites are the Colleton Mega Site, the Stokes Tract, and the Colleton Industrial Campus. Both the Colleton Mega Site and the Stokes Tract are key industrial sites to support the financing undertaken in 2017 related to the purchase of the Salkehatchie Railroad.

During the summer, the remaining piece of sewer right-of-way was purchased so that the engineering can begin on a sewer line to the Colleton Mega Site. Once the engineering is complete in early 2022, the County will begin applying for federal and state infrastructure grants to fund construction of the sewer line.

The Stokes Tract will require both sewer and water infrastructure and during fiscal year 2021-2022, the County was conditionally awarded an engineering grant from LocateSC. The funding condition requires a two-year extension to the existing three-year option agreement and negotiations are ongoing.

In addition to the two major sites on the rail line, the Colleton Industrial Campus is a major site with two miles of frontage on Interstate 95 at exit 62. The site owners have completed all site due diligence, including wetlands fill permits and wetlands bank credits purchased to satisfy the wetlands impact mitigation. With the industrial sized infrastructure in place, the site represents a solution for a specialized operation that requires a greenfield site to build upon.

Outside of our three major industrial sites, the County continues to develop and promote the Colleton Venture Park and the Colleton County Commerce Center. In late 2021, the construction contract was signed to bring water and sewer to Colleton Venture Park through grant funds from U.S. Economic Development Administration and South Carolina Rural Infrastructure Authority. Now that water and sewer infrastructure construction is underway, the County will work on the development of the necessary improvements needed at the entrance for truck turning radius. The previously announced tenants for two sites within the Colleton Venture Park had both put their projects on hold as the pandemic unfolded, though one tenant has announced a plan to begin construction in mid-2022. At the Colleton County Commerce Center, the last undeveloped site in the park has now been cleared, filled and rough graded with funds from a LocateSC grant and is now a contender to attract an employer.

Labor continues to be a challenge for both new and existing companies in the County and across the United States. Colleton County Economic Development did host a recruiting and hiring strategies lunch with various manufacturers in the County where they heard from two manufacturing HR consultants about how to reach and attract candidate workers and retain those workers. The bottom line presented by the consultants is that there is available labor, but companies must be willing to pay realistic wages that are coupled with a good benefits package.

Recreation and Culture

The County offers some of the best opportunities for residents and visitors to enjoy both indoor and outdoor activities. The County's recreation center known as the ACE Basin Sports Complex continues to be a prime venue in the area as it hosts numerous baseball and softball tournaments. During fiscal year 2020-2021, the recreation center saw a return of some youth sports as well as other offered activities that were not available during the last half of the previous fiscal year. With the renovations that were completed to the recreation center during 2020, the gym and fitness center are in exceedingly high demand based on total visits being up over 25% from the previous year. Additional improvements are planned at the recreation center, with funds allocated in the State budget for the development of a miracle league field (inclusive ball field).

The County-owned Dogwood Hills Golf Course and Restaurant is another venue that is popular with residents of the County. The golf course had its busiest year since the County purchased it in 2015, with revenues up over 30% from the previous year. This growth was due to individuals' usage of the course as tournaments hosted remained flat based on organizations continuing to utilize other fundraising methods. The restaurant was able to offer full-service restaurant services for the entire fiscal year and did see small growth in sales of roughly 5% from fiscal year 2020 that had been impacted by the Governor's stay-at-home mandate that was in effect during part of fiscal year 2020. The restaurant also saw a return of catering volumes during fiscal year 2021, which increased 20%, though still slightly lower than pre-COVID-19 levels. Several improvements are planned during the upcoming fiscal year for Dogwood Hills to improve and enhance these popular venues.

Colleton County Commercial Kitchen, Museum and Farmers Market all continue to grow in popularity with various local vendors that utilize the commercial kitchen space in development of their products as well as the centrally located museum and farmers market retail venues that are continuing to see strong attendance. In addition to vendors, the Commercial Kitchen is heavily utilized by the County's Summer Feeding Program, which is now providing over 8,000 meals per day that are now delivered door to door and centralized sites. During the upcoming fiscal year, a separate site is being developed to support the feeding program so that Commercial Kitchen will offer additional availability to local vendors. Museum staff is planning to offer more events and festivals during the upcoming year, which will allow our food and other vendors' retail opportunities.

Colleton County Memorial Library continues to be busy with over 42,000 in person visits to all locations. In addition to the main library in Walterboro, the library has branches in both Edisto Beach and Cottageville that are open three days a week as well as continuing to operate the book mobile that provides service throughout the County. One of the most popular services offered by the library is computer usage, as there were over 12,200 sessions during the past fiscal year. Though COVID-19 has impacted some of the library offerings, they continue to offer a wide range of programs for residents both young and old. During the past fiscal year, over 61 in-person programs were provided that saw total attendance of 491. In response to COVID-19, the library has also increased virtual program offerings with over 267 virtual opportunities provided during the past fiscal year.

In addition to all the opportunities sponsored through County venues, the area boasts easy access to many of South Carolina's best eco-tourism spots, including the ACE Basin, the Walterboro Wildlife Sanctuary, Edisto State Park, Colleton State Park, and several other South Carolina Department of Natural Resources wildlife management areas.

Long-Term Financial Planning

The County closed fiscal year 2021 with improved financial performance and continues to hold the rating of Aa3 with Moody's Investor Services and AA- with Standard and Poor's Rating Services. Moody's rating was reaffirmed in June 2021 that cited the County's financial position was healthy with a strong cash balance as a percent of operating revenues and overall light debt burden though economy and tax base continue to lag, with median family income at 56.8% of the U.S. level. Total fund balance as of June 30, 2021 in the General Fund was \$9,927,226 of which \$9,131,378 was unassigned which represents a \$967 thousand increase in total fund balance when compared to total fund balance as of June 30, 2020 of \$8,960,252, of which \$7,787,399 was unassigned. These total fund balance

figures represent 31% and 29% of total expenditures, respectively. The County budget ordinance requires the total general fund balance to be a minimum of 20% of total expenditures. An additional reference point to the strength of the County's general fund balance position, the Government Finance Officers Association of the United States and Canada ("GFOA") recommends, at a minimum, that a general-purpose government maintain an unrestricted fund balance of no less than two months operating expenditures as outlined in its September 2015 Appropriate Level of Unrestricted Fund Balance in the General Fund "Best Practice" bulletin and currently the County has roughly 104 days in its General Fund unassigned fund balance.

Relevant Financial Policies

The County's financial processes are guided by formal and informal policies that have been designed to provide a consistent and measurable framework for County decision makers.

The County, as a political subdivision of the State of South Carolina, is required to prepare and maintain a balanced budget. For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2021, the County's budget was balanced. The County maintains an open budget process by providing for input from County administration, department directors, elected officials, community agencies, County municipal governments and the public as budget priorities and funding is determined for the upcoming year.

The County constantly updates the various forecasting models used in both revenue and expenditure forecasting to reduce the risk of miscalculation. These models do utilize a number of factors that could contribute to a change in a particular revenue or expenditure. For example, building permits would be forecasted based on any planned developments, historical permit volume of existing home improvements and known economic commercial development. In contrast, building repairs and maintenance would be forecasted based on age and condition rating applied to a particular building and forecasted change in the Consumer Price Index that would impact materials and contract labor costs. In all cases, the starting point is to evaluate prior year actual and trends and to then apply any positive or negative adjustment related to the appropriate forecast model. The overall goal of revenue forecasting is to minimize the risk of overstating or understating revenues that could lead to overspending available resources or arbitrarily restricting expenditures and thus limiting services to residents.

Major Initiatives

The last of projects approved by voters with the Capital Projects Sales Tax got underway during the last quarter of fiscal year 2021-2022. These projects include the final phase of the City of Walterboro I-95 business loop which was undertaken to rehab and provide appeal to the Jefferies Blvd/Bells Highway span between exits 53 and 57 on I-95 to attract more visitors and tourists to the historic downtown of Walterboro. In addition to this project, the construction of the Taxpayer Service building has gotten underway. This building is being constructed to house the offices of the Treasurer, the Auditor and Delinquent Tax. The building will provide a more streamlined and efficient manner for residents to access these offices. At the same time of this construction, the current office building, the Harrelson Building, is undergoing planning and design to reengineer this building to allow for better access by residents to the offices of the Assessor, Planning and Development, Register of Deeds and Human Resources. The last part of this project is design and construction of a central parking area for visitors to the various County offices. The parking project will go out to bid during the last quarter of calendar year 2021 with construction starting during early calendar year 2022.

Planning is already underway for the next group of County-wide projects that would be funded if voters approved the reissuance of this tax. This CPST commission of six has been appointed through the various governmental entities within the County. Projects for consideration will first go through contracted engineering firm for budgeting and then will go before the Commission for consideration and recommendation. The referendum will go to the voters in November 2022 and would include ballot questions to approve the list of projects as well as approve the issuance of general obligation bonds to defray the cost of the projects with the capital project sales tax collections to pay the debt service on the bonds.

The County is continuing to move fleet vehicles from a purchased vehicle standpoint to a leased vehicle standpoint through Enterprise Fleet Management. The decision to make this change was based on allowing the County to provide employees with a safer vehicle, to reduce maintenance costs and to improve fuel efficiency and thus reduce fuel cost. At the end of fiscal year 2018-2019, total county vehicle fleet (excluding heavy trucks and equipment) was 174 vehicles that had an average age of 13 years. Beginning in fiscal year 2019-2020, the County began to replace its fleet vehicles over a five-year plan, with the bulk of the replacements occurring during the first fiscal year of implementation. Once all existing fleet vehicles had been replaced, vehicles would typically be replaced on a five-year basis depending on usage (mileage) as well as identified opportunities to early replacement based on the retail used car market.

Moving the County vehicle fleet to a leased vehicle standpoint has allowed the County to use lease purchase financing funds on replacement of heavy trucks and equipment. In fiscal year 2017-2018, the landfill engineer identified that due to the age and condition of the County-owned landfill compactor, the compaction rate at the County C&D landfill was less than optimal and was significantly impacting the remaining life of the landfill. As part of the budget for the upcoming fiscal year 2021-2022, the County will be entering into a new \$5.5 million lease purchase financing with a five-year repayment schedule. \$2.75 million of these funds will go to replace heavy trucks and equipment in Solid Waste (including the landfill compactor) and Roads and Bridges and the other \$2.75 million will go to replace ambulances and fire trucks for Colleton County Fire Rescue.

Awards and Acknowledgments

GFOA awards a Certificate of Achievement in Financial Reporting. To be awarded a Certificate of Achievement, a governmental unit must publish an easily readable and efficiently organized Annual Comprehensive Financial Report, the contents of which conform to program standards. Such reports must satisfy both generally accepted accounting principles and applicable legal requirements. Since 2014, the County has been awarded a Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting award. A Certificate of Achievement is valid for a period of one year only. We believe our current report will conform to certificate of achievement program requirements, and we are submitting it to the GFOA to determine its eligibility for a certificate.

The preparation of the annual comprehensive financial report would not have been possible without the assistance of the Finance Department staff, the Treasurer's office and several other County departments and staff. The arduous work and dedication of these individuals significantly contributed to the completion of this document. Moreover, the support and leadership of the County Council have been instrumental in the development of this project.

Sincerely,

J. Kevin Griffin County Administrator Jon Carpenter Finance Director

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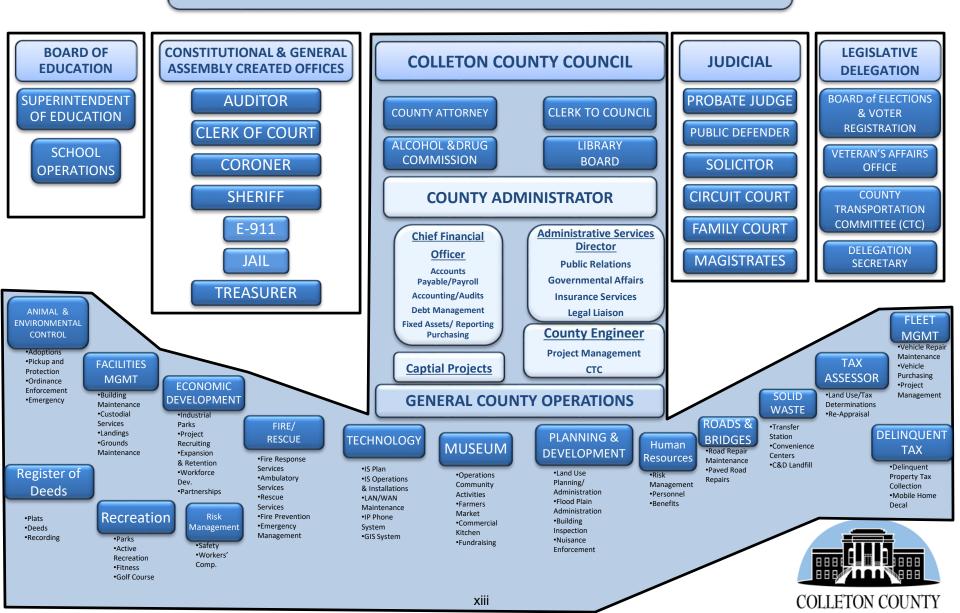
June 30, 2020

Executive Director/CEO

Christopher P. Morrill

COLLETON COUNTY VOTERS

COLLETON COUNTY GOVERNMENT



LIST OF PRINCIPAL OFFICIALS JUNE 30, 2021

County Administrator	J. Kevin Griffin
Chairman	Steven D. Murdaugh
Council Member	Art Williams
Council Member	Phillip M. Taylor Sr.
Council Member	Gene Whetsell
Council Member	Joseph F. Flowers, MD
Finance Director	Jon Carpenter
Auditor	Jeff Slocum
Clerk of Court	Rebecca H. Hill
Treasurer	Becky S. Hill
Sheriff	Guerry Hill
Coroner	Richard M. Harvey
Probate Judge	Ashley H. Amundson
Chief Magistrate	Keisha D. Gadsen





INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Colleton County Council of Colleton County Colleton County, South Carolina Walterboro, South Carolina

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the aggregate discretely presented component units, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of **Colleton County**, **South Carolina** (the "County"), as of and for the year ended June 30, 2021, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the County's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express opinions on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinions.

Opinions

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, the aggregate discretely presented component units, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the County, as of June 30, 2021, and the respective changes in financial position for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Emphasis of Matter

As discussed in Note 12, Colleton County, South Carolina implemented Governmental Accounting Standards Board ("GASB") Statement No. 84, Fiduciary Activities, as of July 1, 2020. This standard significantly changed the accounting for the County's fiduciary funds. Our opinions are not modified with respect to this matter.

Other Matters

Required Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the Management's Discussion and Analysis (on pages 4 – 18), the Budgetary Comparison Schedule of the General Fund (on page 80), the Budgetary Comparison Schedule of the Special Revenue Fund (on page 81), the Schedules of the Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability (on pages 82 – 84), the Schedules of Pension Contributions (on pages 85 – 88), and the Schedules of Changes in Total OPEB Liability and Related Ratios (on pages 89 – 91) be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context. We have applied certain limited procedures to the required supplementary information in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, which consisted of inquiries of management about the methods of preparing the information and comparing the information for consistency with management's responses to our inquiries, the basic financial statements, and other knowledge we obtained during our audit of the basic financial statements. We do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the information because the limited procedures do not provide us with sufficient evidence to express an opinion or provide any assurance.

Other Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the County's basic financial statements. The introductory section, combining and individual nonmajor fund financial statements and schedules, combining statement of fiduciary net position and combining statement of changes in fiduciary net position, the individual financial statements and schedules of the County's discretely presented component units, and statistical section listed in the table of contents are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements. The Uniform Schedule or Court Fines, Assessments, and Surcharges (per ACT 96) is presented for purposes of additional analysis as required by the State of South Carolina, and is not a required part of the basic financial statements.

The combining and individual nonmajor fund financial statements and schedules, combining statement of fiduciary net position and combining statement of changes in fiduciary net position, the individual financial statements and schedules of the County's discretely presented component units, and the Uniform Schedule or Court Fines, Assessments, and Surcharges (per ACT 96) are the responsibility of management and were derived from and relate directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements or to the basic financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the combining and individual nonmajor fund financial statements and schedules, combining statement of fiduciary net position and combining statement of changes in fiduciary net position, the individual financial statements and schedules of the County's discretely presented component units, and the Uniform Schedule or Court Fines, Assessments, and Surcharges (per ACT 96) are fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the basic financial statements as a whole.

The introductory and statistical sections have not been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, accordingly, we do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on them.

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated December 27, 2021, on our consideration of the County's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the County's internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the County's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

Mauldin & Jerkins, LLC

Savannah, Georgia December 27, 2021

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS JUNE 30, 2021

As management of Colleton County, South Carolina, (the "County") we offer readers of the County's financial statements this narrative overview and analysis of the financial activities of the County for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2021. Please read this information in conjunction with the detail statements and notes to the financial statements to achieve a better understanding of the County's financial performance for the fiscal year.

Financial Highlights

- The assets plus deferred outflow of resources of the County exceed its liabilities plus deferred inflows of resources at the close of the most recent fiscal year by \$36,068,412 (net position). The County's net position increased by \$2,950,916 due to improved tax and fee collection as well as receipt of federal and state grant funds related to offsetting incurred COVID-19 expenses, improving and rehabbing county transportation infrastructure as well expanding the feeding program to school children.
- At the close of the current fiscal year, the County's governmental funds reported combined ending fund balances
 of \$31,190,617, an increase of \$3,819,209. This increase in fund balance was primarily due to an increase in the
 General fund of \$967 thousand, Special Revenue fund of \$970 thousand and Capital Projects Sales Tax Debt
 Service fund of \$1.34 million.
- Governmental funds reported a total combined revenues of \$57.14 million which represents growth of \$3.89 million and 7.3% from the prior year. The growth was driven by tax revenues which increased \$2.62 million and 8.6%, Intergovernmental revenues which increased \$687 thousand and 4.5% and Fees and Fines revenues which increased \$487 thousand and 7.4%.
- Governmental funds reported total combined expenditures of \$54.50 million, which is a decrease of (\$3.48 million) and (6.0%) from the prior year. This decrease in expenditures was primarily due to a drop in capital project expenditures which decreased (\$3.86 million) and (50%) from the prior year based on several projects completing in fiscal year 2020 and new and existing projects moving slower due to the County and other local governments taking time to evaluate the economic impact of the pandemic as various industry slowdowns related to the pandemic or supply chain issues.

Overview of the Financial Statements

This Management's Discussion and Analysis ("MD&A") is intended to serve as an introduction to the County's basic financial statements, which are comprised of three components:

- 1. Government-wide financial statements
- 2. Fund financial statements
- 3. Notes to the financial statements

Government-wide Financial Statements - Government-wide financial statements are designed to provide readers with a broad overview of the financial position of the County and are like financial statements issued in the private sector. They include a statement of net position and a statement of activities. These statements appear on pages 19 and 20 of this report.

Component Units, which are other governmental units over which the County can exercise influence and/or may be obligated to provide financial subsidy, are presented as a separate column in the government-wide statements and as combining statements of activities in the fund financial statements. The focus of the statements is clearly on the primary government and the presentation allows the reader to address the relative relationship with the component units to the primary government. The nonmajor component units to the primary government are the Colleton County Memorial Library, the Colleton County Fire and Rescue Commission, and the Alcohol and Drug Commission.

The statement of net position shows the County's assets less its liabilities on June 30, 2021. The difference between these assets and liabilities is reported as net position. Changes in net position over time may be helpful in indicating an improving or deteriorating financial position.

The statement of activities follows the statement of net position and presents information showing how the net position changed during the fiscal year. The statement presents all underlying events, which give rise to the change, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Some included items, such as accounts payable or earned but unused vacation leave, will produce changes in cash in a future fiscal period. This report includes all major and nonmajor funds of the County.

Both statements attempt to distinguish functions of the County that are principally supported by taxes and intergovernmental revenues (governmental activities) from other functions that are intended to recover all or a significant portion of their costs through user fees and charges (business-type activities). The County has no business-type activities. Governmental activities reported in the statements include general government, judicial, public safety, roads and bridges, solid waste, recreation and culture, health and human services, economic development and intergovernmental.

Fund Financial Statements – A fund is a grouping of related accounts that is used to maintain control over resources that have been segregated for specific activities or objectives. Like other state and local governments, the County uses fund accounting to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related legal requirements. All funds of the County can be divided into two categories: governmental and fiduciary.

Governmental Funds – Governmental funds, presented on pages 21 through 26, essentially account for the same functions as those reported under the government-wide statement of net position and statement of activities. However, this set of financial statements focuses on events that produce near-term inflows and outflows of available resources as well as on the balance available at the end of the fiscal year and is a narrower focus than the government-wide financial statements. Such information may be useful in evaluating the County's near-term financing requirements and available resources.

By comparing functions between the two sets of statements for governmental funds and governmental activities, readers may better understand the long-term impact of the government's near-term financing decisions. Both the governmental funds balance sheet and the governmental funds statement of revenues, expenditures and changes in fund balances provide a reconciliation to facilitate this comparison.

Governmental funds individually presented in the County's statements include five major funds, the General Fund, the Special Revenue Fund, the Coronavirus Local Fiscal Recovery Fund, the Capital Projects Fund, and the Capital Sales Tax Debt Service Fund. Data from the other funds are combined into a single, aggregated presentation. Individual fund data for each of these nonmajor funds is provided in the form of combining statements elsewhere in this report.

Custodial Funds – Custodial funds are used to account for resources held for the benefit of parties outside the government. Custodial funds are not reflected in the government-wide financial statements because the resources of those funds are not available to support the County's own programs. The single aggregated presentation of custodial fund financial statements can be found on pages 27 and 28 of this report. Individual fund data for each of these nonmajor funds is provided in the form of combining statements elsewhere in this report.

Notes to the Financial Statements – The notes provide additional information that is essential to a full understanding of the data provided in both the government-wide and fund financial statements. Notes to the financial statements are presented on pages 29 to 79 of this report.

Other Information – In addition to the basic financial statements and the accompanying notes, this report also presents certain required supplementary information concerning the County's budgets on pages 80 and 81. Also included is the schedule of proportionate share of the net pension liability on pages 82 through 84 and the schedule of contributions for the retirement system on pages 85 through 88 presented for the County and its component units. The OPEB retirement plan required supplementary information for the County and its component units is presented on pages 89 through 91.

The combining statements referred to earlier in connection with nonmajor governmental and custodial funds are presented immediately following the required supplementary information and other budgetary schedules. Combining and individual fund statements and schedules for nonmajor governmental funds can be found on pages 92 through 108 of this report and combining fund statements for custodial funds can be found on pages 109 through 112.

Component unit financial statements are presented for the Memorial Library and the Fire and Rescue Commission on pages 113 through 122 of this report.

Government-wide Financial Analysis

As noted earlier, over time net position may serve as a useful indicator of a government's financial position. The government-wide statements encompass all the funds of the County, not just the general operational fund. The County's total assets plus deferred outflows of resources exceeded liabilities plus deferred inflows of resources by \$36,068,412 on June 30, 2021, as compared to restated net total position of \$33,117,496 on June 30, 2020.

COLLETON COUNTY, SOUT	TH CAROLINA NET POSITION	ON		
	Governmental Activities			
	2021		2020	
Assets				
Current and other assets	\$ 41,214,246	\$	33,231,021	
Capital assets	57,568,095		60,182,494	
Total assets	98,782,341		93,413,515	
Deferred Outflows of Resources	7,783,917		5,340,164	
Liabilities			_	
Long-term liabilities	61,060,259		60,159,543	
Other liabilities	8,627,050		4,161,493	
Total liabilities	69,687,309		64,321,036	
Deferred Inflows of Resources	810,537		1,295,400	
Net Position				
Net investment in capital assets	43,815,008		42,289,669	
Fund balance				
Restricted	10,571,627		8,295,818	
Unrestricted	(18,318,223)		(17,448,244)	
Change in Accounting Principle	<u> </u>		(19,747)	
Total net position, as restated	\$ 36,068,412	\$	33,117,496	

Total assets did increase by \$5,368,826 with most of this change coming from the increase in cash and cash equivalents of \$7,599,860 that was offset by a decrease in capital assets of \$2.614,399. The increase in cash was due primarily to receipt of U.S. Treasury Local Fiscal Recovery funds of \$3.66 million. In addition, due to effects of COVID-19 on the supply chain, construction projects and purchase of heavy equipment are proceeding at a slower pace and requiring a slower usage of cash. This slower pace was also the cause for decrease in net capital assets, as only \$1.4 million of capital was added compared to annual depreciation expense of \$3.9 million. Deferred outflows of resources did increase by \$2.4 million as both deferred outflows for pension and OPEB did increase from the prior year. The increase in pension was due to the passage of time as well as the decline that has occurred in the municipal bond yields while the increase in OPEB was due to increases in the expected service cost of the plan.

Total liabilities did increase by \$5,366,273 with most of the change due to the increase in other liabilities of \$4,465,557. The increase in other liabilities was due to unearned revenues increasing by \$4,558,791 due to the receipt of \$3.66 million of U.S. Treasury Local Fiscal Recovery funds that have not yet been spent and were fully recorded as unearned. Deferred inflows of resources did decrease by \$485 thousand, primarily due to a reduction in deferred inflow from pension, which decreased by \$424 thousand. This decrease was due to differences in actual and expected experience and differences between employer contributions and proportionate share of contributions.

By far the largest portion of the County net position in the amount of \$43,815,008 (121.5%) represents its investment in capital assets (e.g., land, buildings, machinery, and equipment) for governmental activities, less any related debt used to acquire those assets that is still outstanding on June 30, 2021, as compared to \$42,289,669 (128%) on June 30, 2020. The increase of \$1,525,339 was the result of slower capital project spending due to COVID-19 supply chain issues which led to a reduction in net capital assets and a usage of only 8% of remaining bond proceeds. The debt service on the long-term obligations associated with these bonds were paid as scheduled in the amount of \$4.7 million which was larger than the decrease in net capital assets and remaining bond proceeds resulting in the increase in investment in capital assets. Although the County's investment in capital assets is reported net of related debt, it should be noted the resources needed to repay this debt must be provided from other sources, since the capital assets themselves cannot be used to liquidate those liabilities. On June 30, 2021, the County had a net position restricted for debt service in the amount of \$7,639,063 (21.2%), which was an increase of \$1,579,540 from June 30, 2020. This increase was due to collection of both capital project sales tax and property taxes. Capital project sales taxes collections increased due to increased consumer spending based on the various federal stimulus payments provided. Property tax collections did increase based on higher growth in assessed values that were the result of low mortgage rates that drove an increase in home purchases as well as home mortgage refinancing.

The restricted portion of net position of \$10,571,627 (29.3%) represents the balances of net position that have restricted resources and are not available to fund other commitments. The restricted net position relates to solid waste landfill post-closure, debt service, economic development, emergency and law enforcement services, and other revenue sources that are earmarked for specific County functions. The increase of \$2,275,809 from June 30, 2020, was a result of the increase of \$1,579,540 discussed above related to excess debt service collections and an increase of \$1,010,263 in restricted for other purposes. The other purposes include matching funds of \$500 thousand on Highway 64 Pedestrian Improvements project, matching funds of \$146 thousand on the replacement of the Cheraw Pier and \$88 thousand in matching funds on three ongoing CDBG projects.

The remaining net position represents a deficit balance of (\$18,318,223) (-50.8%) in unrestricted net position which is a decrease of (\$869,979) from June 30, 2020. Overall net position did increase by \$2,950,916 though our net investment in capital assets and restricted net position did increase by a combined \$3.8 million and resulted in our unrestricted net position to decrease for the fiscal year ended 2021. Though we did see significant growth in our total assets of over \$5.3 million of which \$7.6 million was in cash and cash equivalents, a sizable portion of this growth is restricted as reflected in the increase of unearned revenues of \$4.6 million.

Governmental Activities

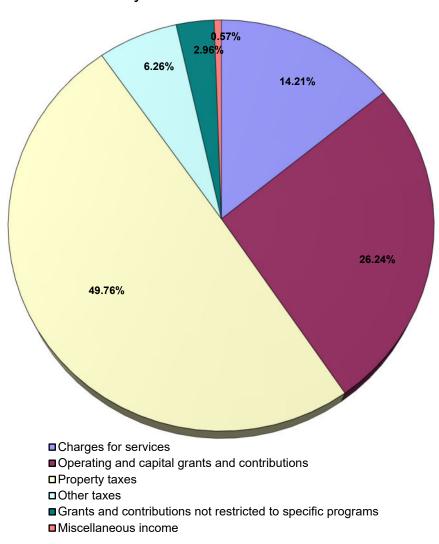
The County's total net position increased \$2,950,916 in 2021 compared to a decrease of (\$1,473,575) in 2020. Please note that beginning net position for fiscal year 2021 was restated by (\$19,747) related to the adoption of GASB 84. Key elements of this change in net position are as shown in the following table.

COLLETON COUNTY, SOUTH CAROLINA CHANGES IN NET POSITION

	2021	2020
Revenues		
Program Revenues		
Charges for services	\$ 8,155,558	\$ 8,094,821
Operating and capital grants and contributions	15,058,424	12,019,330
General Revenues		
Property taxes	28,560,290	26,872,059
Other taxes	3,592,375	3,414,583
Grants and contributions not		
restricted to specific programs	1,701,639	2,024,709
Miscellaneous income	327,711	775,275
Total Revenues	57,395,997	53,200,777
Expenses		
Governmental Activities		
General government	10,882,562	10,607,610
Judical	7,005,856	6,856,354
Public safety	15,683,920	15,820,923
Roads and bridges	6,192,937	7,154,129
Solid waste	4,403,242	4,104,787
Recreation and culture	4,684,331	4,691,384
Health and human services	3,738,071	2,734,348
Economic development	1,194,174	1,943,153
Interest and fiscal charges	659,988	761,664
Total Expenses	54,445,081	54,674,352
Change in Net Position	2,950,916	(1,473,575
Net Position, beginning of year, as restated	33,117,496	34,610,818
Net Position, end of year	\$ 36,068,412	\$ 33,137,243

During the current fiscal year, net position increased \$2,950,616 from the prior fiscal year for an ending balance of \$36,068,412. Overall revenues did increase by \$4,195,220, or 7.9%, from fiscal year 2020. The increase in total revenues was the result of a \$3,039,094 increase in operating and capital grants and contributions, and a \$1,688,231 increase in property taxes. These increases were offset by small decreases of (\$323,070) in grants and contributions not restricted to specific purpose and (\$447,564) in miscellaneous. Additional detail as to the changes in revenues can be found under the Revenue by Source – Governmental Activities pie chart on the following page. Total expenses did decrease by (\$229,271) and (0.4%) from fiscal year 2020 and was due to the decreases in Roads and Bridges and Economic Development offset by the increase in Health and Human Services. The changes in expenses are discussed in detail below under Expense – Governmental Activities bar chart.

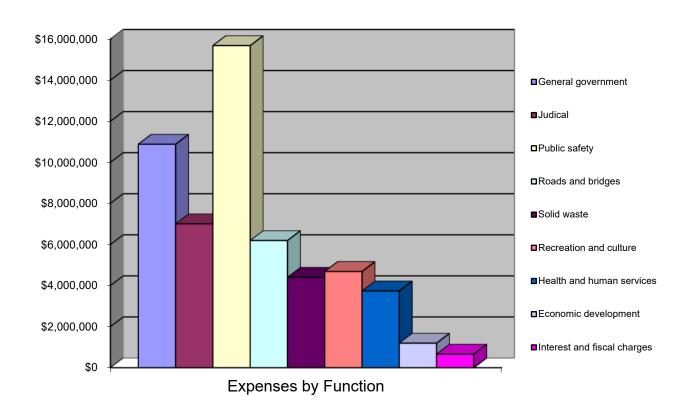




Property Taxes continue to be the largest source of revenue for the County at 49.76% though this is down from the previous two years of 50.50% and 50.97%. Property taxes did increase by \$1.69 million and 6.28% due to significant growth (as compared to prior years) of 6.8% in assessed values based on low mortgage rates driving home sales (increasing prices) as well as existing home refinancing driving home improvements. Current year collections remained stable at roughly 97%.

- Operating and Capital Grants and Contributions did increase to 26.24% from roughly 22% in the prior two fiscal years. The primary drivers for this increase were increased funding of \$777 thousand in additional USDA revenues (pass through) related to the expansion of the school feeding program (health and human service function), \$254 thousand in COVID-19 recovery funds from the U.S. Department of Treasury (pass through) related to reimbursement of costs incurred and \$600 thousand in CDBG revenues (pass through) related various community infrastructure improvements.
- Both Grants and Contributions not restricted to specific programs and Miscellaneous Income did decrease to 14.21% and 0.57%, respectively. The decrease in the Grants and Contributions not restricted to specific programs of \$323 thousand was due to receipt and use of one-time funds during fiscal year 2020 and the decrease in miscellaneous income was due to a significant drop in investment earnings based on an overall drop in the economic markets.

Expenses-Governmental Activities



- Expenses for Public Safety did slightly decrease from the previous years by (0.87%) as compared to growth of 12% in the prior year and now account for 28.8% of total expenses. These expenses provide funding to both County law enforcement (Sheriff/Detention/Emergency Dispatch) and the annual County appropriation to the Fire and Rescue Commission (County-wide emergency services and unincorporated fire services). The small decrease in public safety expenses was due to a small decrease in use of overtime hours based on the County avoiding a declared disaster (outside of COVID-19) during the fiscal year.
- Significant growth of over \$1 million and 36.74% was seen in Health and Human Services and accounted for 6.8% of total expenses. This increase in expense was due to the expansion of the USDA summer feeding program that ran all twelve months of the fiscal year instead of the summer months of June, July, and August. The expansion was due to the County school district continuing to provide a full year virtual school option to all students.
- Expenses for Roads and Bridges did decrease by (\$961) thousand and (13%) as compared to the prior year. This decrease was the result of some one-time expenses in the prior year related to the City of Walterboro I-95 Business Loop Road Improvement project phase 2 that was funded through Capital Project Sales Tax and the Walterboro Colleton County Airport runway drainage improvement project that was a pass through of funds from an FAA grant award.
- Economic Development expenses did record a decrease of 39% and accounts for 2.2% of total expenses. This decrease was due to slower economic activity during the fiscal year as a number of prospective projects were temporarily halted as possible impacts from the pandemic were determined (additional information can be found in the Transmittal Letter Economic Development Goals and Strategies).

Financial Analysis of the Government's Funds

As noted earlier, the County uses fund accounting to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related legal requirements.

Governmental Funds

The focus of the County's governmental funds is to provide information on near-term inflows, outflows, and balances of spendable resources. Such information is useful in assessing the County's financing requirements. Unassigned fund balance may serve as a useful measure of the County's net resources available for discretionary use as they represent the portion of fund balance which has not yet been limited to use for a particular purpose by either an external party, the County itself, or a group or individual that has been delegated authority to assign resources for use for purposes by the County Council.

On June 30, 2021, the County's governmental funds reported combined fund balances of \$31,910,617, an increase of \$3,819,209 in comparison with the prior year. Approximately 29.3% of this amount, or \$9,131,378, constitutes unassigned fund balance, with is available for spending at the County's discretion. The remainder of the fund balance is either non-spendable, restricted, assigned, or committed, to indicate that it is: 1) not in spendable form (\$422,966), 2) restricted for purposes (\$10,511,391), 3) assigned for purposes (\$1,185,292), or 4) assigned for purposes (\$9,939,590).

The general fund is the chief operating fund of the County. On June 30, 2021, unassigned fund balance of the general fund was \$9,131,378. As a measure of the general fund's liquidity, it may be useful to compare both unassigned fund balance and total fund balance to total general fund expenditures. Unassigned fund balance represents approximately 29% of total general expenditures, while total fund balance represents approximately 31%. County ordinance requires that total fund balance be maintained at 20% of total general fund expenditures. During the current fiscal year, the fund balance of the County's general fund increased by \$967,410. This represents an increase of 10.8% in fund balance that was based on revenues increasing by 5% while operating expenses slightly decreased by (0.5%). This growth in revenues was offset by a change in net other financing uses that increased by 107% to (\$482,652).

- Tax revenues did increase by 6.4% that was due to growth in assessed values of 6.3% based on low mortgage rates driving increased home sales as well as home improvements. Based on the ongoing pandemic, County Council did not approve any operating millage increase for fiscal year 2021.
- With the State of South Carolina operating under a continuing budget resolution, intergovernmental revenue did dip slightly by 5% from the prior year.
- Fines and fees did increase by 8.2% from the prior year based on increase in building permits (new home construction and home improvements) as well as an increase in recording document stamps based on home sales and refinancing activity driven by the low mortgage rates.

Total expenditures were unchanged from the prior year, though general government did decrease by (\$406) thousand and (4.1%) which was offset by increases in Public Safety of \$115 thousand and 1.4%, in Recreation and Culture of \$168 thousand and 10.9% and Intergovernmental of \$230 thousand and 4.6%.

- The decrease in general government was due to tornado (April 2020) recovery expenses of \$440 thousand that were incurred through the end of fiscal year 2020.
- The slight increase in Public Safety was primarily in personnel expenses associated with additional compensation to retain essential staff.
- As COVID-19 restrictions lifted, County recreation facilities resumed more normal operations, including reopening of the fitness center, providing youth sports leagues and hosting of youth sport tournaments which led to an increase in operating costs.
- The increase in intergovernmental was due to providing additional support to the Colleton County Fire and Rescue Commission to cover higher personnel expenses based on call volumes.

The fund balance of the County's special revenue fund did increase by \$970 thousand and 378% from the prior year. This increase was due to advanced grant funds and required match amounts for road improvements (sidewalks), and CDBG projects (County building demolition and old football stadium demolition) and are reflected in the increase of \$549 thousand in roads and bridges expenditures. These matches are planned on being expended during fiscal year 2022 as the projects are completed. The increase in health and human services expenses of \$854 thousand is based on the previously noted expansion in the feeding program to County school district students that were attending school virtually.

During the current fiscal year, the fund balance of the County's capital projects fund increased by \$109 thousand and 1.1%. This increase was due to a reduction in expenditures of (\$3.86) million from the prior year. Intergovernmental decreased by (\$3) million and was due to phase 2 of the CPST funded Walterboro I-95 business loop being completed during the prior fiscal year and the final phase 3 being delayed until fiscal year 2022. Overall capital purchases of the County did decrease (\$1.45) million from the prior year. This was due in part to a delay in starting projects as pandemic economic impacts were being determined as well as supply chain issues causing projects to slow down as materials had delayed deliveries.

Capital Projects Sales Tax Debt Service did report an increase of \$1.337 million in fund balance for the fiscal year. This increase was due to 18% increase in capital projects sales tax collections from the prior year based on an increase in retail sales driven by the federal stimulus payments made to individuals. Scheduled debt service of \$4.087 million was paid as scheduled and the excess collections will be used to cover the debt service due July 1, 2023, which is after the expiration of the tax.

Budgetary Highlights

The County's general fund actual amounts reported for revenues of \$33,502,168 were \$737,055 and 2.25% higher than the final budgeted amount of \$32,765,113.

- Taxes were over final budget by \$814,095 and 3.46% due to rapid growth of 6.8% in assessed values that
 were positively impacted by low mortgage rates that have led to increased home sales and prices as well as
 home improvements that are funded by refinancing activity. In addition to property taxes, local option sales
 tax collection was 14% over final budget amounts and were buoyed by the various federal stimulus payments
 to individuals.
- Intergovernmental revenues were over final budget of \$392,281 and 20.35% due to additional funding in motor carrier fees and SROs. In fiscal year 2020, motor carrier fees moved from SCDOR to SCDMW which resulted in a significant reduction in funding. The budget for fiscal year 2021 was adjusted to reflect the prior year funding though actual funding did exceed budget by \$214 thousand and 167%. SRO funding from SCDE was budgeted equal to the prior though funding did increase based on no school closing in fiscal year 2021 as compared to fiscal year 2020.
- Fines and fees were \$250,216 and 3.98% over budget. As noted in taxes (above), significant increases were seen in home sales and refinances which led to recording document fees to be 47.7% over final budget. In addition, many of the home refinances were used to make improvements (for example adding inground pool) which led to building permits to be 5.6% over final budget.
- Other income was under budget by (\$719,537) and (69.68%) based on budgeted reimbursements of pandemic
 costs that were not needed based on lower expenditures (please see corresponding decrease in general
 government expenditures). In addition, investment earnings came in at 56% lower than the final budget which
 had been set at 85% of the prior year actual earnings.

Total actual expenditures of \$32,052,106 were under the final budgeted amount of \$34,131,326 by \$2,079,220 and 6.09%. Expenditure savings was primarily based on a combined savings of \$1,827,882 in general government, in judicial, in public safety and roads and bridges.

- General government savings of \$967,820 and 9.31% were due to the County not having a declared natural
 disaster event with the budget reflective of this possibility given the previous four years. In addition, costs
 associated with responding to the pandemic were lower than budgeted which had been based on prior year
 expenses.
- Judicial savings were due to a reduction in court operating expenses that was based on courts being required to close for part of the fiscal year.
- Public safety expenditures were less than final budget based on a higher usage of overtime hours budgeted for coverage when staff is forced to quarantine based on either a COVID-19 possible exposure or positive test.
- Roads and bridges savings were due to unfilled budgeted positions (salaries and associated benefits) and fuel expense based on the cost of fuel.
- Transfers in were less than budget by (\$615,760) due to total expenditures that were (\$2.08) million lower than
 final budget. This savings in expenditures reduced the need of additional fundings to cover the cost of
 operations.
- Transfers out were less than budget by \$389,401 due to the delay discussed previously in capital projects that
 were slowed as economic impacts of the pandemic were determined as well as delay in receiving materials
 and other capital equipment and vehicles.

Capital Assets

The County's investment in capital assets for its governmental activities as of June 30, 2021, amounts to \$57,568,095 (net of accumulated depreciation) as compared to \$60,182,494 on June 30, 2020. Capital additions, including construction in progress totaled \$1.43 million which were offset by disposals in the amount of \$2.96 million.

Major capital asset additions during the fiscal year 2021 include the following:

- Taxpayer Service Center construction (CPST funded) \$313 thousand
- Generator and transfer switch at the Recreation Center \$321 thousand
- Technology improvements (servers/storage) \$22 thousand
- Building improvements (HVAC efficiency upgrades) \$85 thousand
- Demolition of County office building and old high school football stadium \$414 thousand

Construction in Progress completed and placed in service during fiscal year 2021 include the following:

- Sewer improvements at Colleton Career Center \$87 thousand
- Fire Rescue Ambulance (2) \$559 thousand
- Offsite backup system 911 Dispatch \$78 thousand

Disposals of assets acquired in prior years include the following:

- \$545 thousand in heavy vehicles and equipment
- \$301 thousand in buildings and improvements
- \$2.1 million in County fleet vehicles (moving to vehicle lease program)

Additional information on the County's capital assets can be found in note 5 on page 42 in the notes to the financial statements.

COLLETON COUNTY, SOUTH CAROLINA CAPITAL ASSETS, NET OF DEPRECIATION

	Government	al Activities		
	2021	2020		
Land and land infrastructure	\$ 8,073,207	\$ 7,865,880		
Construction in progress	1,446,850	1,381,977		
Buildings and improvements	29,753,153	30,878,557		
Improvements other than buildings	5,074,071	5,656,254		
Equipment and vehicles	7,342,227	8,054,481		
Infrastructure	5,878,587_	6,345,345		
Total	\$ 57,568,095	\$ 60,182,494		

Debt Administration

On June 30, 2021, the County had long-term obligations of \$61,060,259 compared to outstanding debt on June 30, 2020, totaling \$60,159,543. In October 2020, the County did issue one new short-term debt financing in the amount of \$581 thousand with a maturity date of August 2021. All scheduled debt service payments for fiscal year 2021 were made when due. After the close of the fiscal year, the County did close on short-term bond on October 27, 2021, in the amount of \$578 thousand and on a five-year \$5.5 million lease financing on November 19, 2021. More information on these two financings can be found in note 10 on page 76 in the notes to the financial statements.

	Governmental Activities			
	2021	2020		
General Obligation Bonds	\$ 19,111,299	\$ 22,879,822		
Special Revenue Bonds	-	-		
Capital Leases	833,292	1,756,625		
Net OPEB Obligation	4,360,196	3,553,380		
Note Payable	-	-		
Landfill Closure and Post Closure Cost	583,878	563,572		
Compensated Absences	852,547	781,862		
Net Pension Liability	35,319,047	30,624,282		
Total	\$ 61,060,259	\$ 60,159,543		

Additional information on the County's long-term obligations can be found in note 6 on page 45 in the notes to the financial statements.

In accordance with State Law, the amount of General Obligation Bonds ("GOB") a government entity may issue (without referendum) is equal to 8% of its total assessed value. The current General Obligation Bond debt limitation for Colleton County based on information received from the County Auditor related to the 2021 tax assessment value of \$193,167,536 is \$15,453,403 for fiscal year ended June 30, 2021. As of June 30, 2021, the County has net debt applicable to the limit of \$6,991,353 which equals a 45.24% total net debt applicable to the limit percentage.

Debt Rating – In June 2021, Moody's Investor Services reaffirmed their ratings previously issued in April 2020. The County continued to receive a rating of Aa3 from Moody's. In their analysis, the following positive attributes of the County and its management were noted:

- Financial position is healthy with a strong cash balance as a percent of operating revenues.
- Overall light debt burden though economy and tax base continue to lag, with median family income at 56.8% of U.S. level.

Economic Factors and Next Year's Budget

The County passed budget ordinance No. 21-O-05 to provide for the levy of taxes in Colleton County, South Carolina with the third and final reading on June 1, 2021, to be effective July 1, 2021, through June 30, 2022. The highlights of the budget are provided below:

- Operating millage at 116.31 mills and debt service millage at 10.24 mills unchanged from fiscal year 2021.
- Property tax revenues were budgeted at a growth rate of 2% based on a corresponding growth in assessed values and tax collections remaining at historical average.
- Fees and fines revenue collections increasing by 1.5% based on a continuing return of pre-COVID-19 activities. Primary driver of this increase is the court system resuming regular operations and an update to the Planning and Development fee structure.
- Overall intergovernmental state revenues were not budgeted to increase. State of South Carolina budget did
 provide full year and prior year funding increase in Local Government Fund though funding formula is
 population driven and the County population is not forecasted to change significantly as compared to other
 counties in South Carolina. State of South Carolina budget did provide rural stabilization fund to help fund any
 funding reductions.
- Continued growth of 2-3% in Local Option and Capital Projects Sales Tax collections. Growth rate has been averaging 2-6% per year over the previous five years.
- Local Accommodations and Hospitality taxes are projected to return to pre-COVID 19 collection amounts as people continue to resume vacationing and other leisure activities.
- Minimum of 5% cost of living salary adjustment was provided to all employees.

- Mandated employer retirement contribution increase of 1% for all participating employees effective July 1, 2021.
- Mandated employer health insurance premiums increase effective January 1, 2022 (exact not known, factor of 4% was used).
- Continuation of funding 50% of the cost of individual health/dental insurance for eligible retirees.
- Continuation of direct assistance funding to twenty county agencies providing various essential services and programs for residents.

The following budgets and millage rates are currently in effect based on Budget Ordinance 21-O-05:

COLLETON COUNTY, SOUTH CAROLINA 2021-2022 ORIGINAL FUND BUDGET

		Amount	Millage
General Fund		\$ 29,087,067	116.31
Debt Service Fund		2,003,660	10.24
Fire Rescue Commission		10,974,750	33.56
Fire Rescue Commission Debt Service		2,459,518	22.66
Capital Projects Sales Tax Debt Service		6,171,610	-
Capital Fund		598,090	-
Special Revenue Fund (various grants)		1,104,220	-
State Aid to Library		100,000	-
Memorial Library Fund		712,660	-
IV-D Sheriff Unit Costs		6,438	-
IV-D Clerk of Court Unit Costs		193,260	-
IV-D Clerk of Court Fund Incentives		40,000	-
Victim Witness Services		101,119	-
Animal Care and Control		35,000	-
Non-GOB Related Debt Service		1,200,000	-
Emergency Telephone Fund		304,986	-
Infrastructure/Industrial Development Fund		784,265	-
CC 2015 \$5.4M GOB Proceeds		172,782	-
Coronavirus Local Recovery Fund		1,644,745	-
County Hospitality Tax Fund		551,200	-
County Accomodations Tax Fund		529,445	-
Recreation Fund		1,576,921	-
Road and Bridges Fund		2,164,147	-
School District		-	116.42
Solid Waste Fund		3,025,424	
	Total	\$ 65,541,307	299.19

Requests for Information

This financial report is designed to provide a general overview of the County's finances and to demonstrate the County's accountability for the money it receives. Any questions about this report or request for information may be addressed to Colleton County, Director of Finance, P.O. Box 157, Walterboro, South Carolina 29488.

STATEMENT OF NET POSITION JUNE 30, 2021

			Component Units				3	
	G	overnmental Activities		Memorial Library		e and Rescue Commission		nol and Drug mmission
ASSETS	<u>-</u>							
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	32,805,713	\$	203,066	\$	983,183	\$	464,411
Investments		2,177		-		-		105,108
Receivables, net of allowances		7,983,390		-		1,975,263		32,905
Due from state agency		-		-		-		121,022
Prepaids and deposits		422,966		14,924		205,880		-
Capital assets:								
Nondepreciable		9,520,057		-		1,477,838		-
Depreciable, net		48,048,038		308,776		10,238,662		4,798
Total assets		98,782,341		526,766		14,880,826		728,244
DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES								
Deferred outflows for pension		7,163,543		170,457		3,368,930		_
Deferred outflows for other post-employment benefits		620,374		75,245		113,237		_
Total deferred outflows of resources		7,783,917		245,702		3,482,167		_
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LIABILITIES								
Current liabilities:		0.000.070		10.004		202.045		00.774
Accounts payable		2,363,876		12,694		302,945		92,771
Payroll liabilities		669,969		15,243		263,297		19,857
Accrued liabilities		202,186				87,789		-
Unearned revenues		5,391,019		3,009		-		-
Non-current liabilities:		5.040.007		0.705		4 400 004		44.445
Due within one year		5,912,267		2,765		1,402,881		14,115
Due in more than one year		55,147,992		1,460,135		22,186,517		254,500
Total liabilities		69,687,309		1,493,846		24,243,429		381,243
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES								
Deferred inflows for pension		444,629		14,580		69,393		-
Deferred inflows for other post-employment benefits		365,908		44,381		66,789		-
Total deferred inflows of resources		810,537		58,961		136,182		-
NET POSITION								
Net investment in capital assets		43,815,008		308,776		3,859,520		4,798
Restricted:								
Emergency services		453,558		-		-		-
Court administration		107,246		-		-		-
Law enforcement		265,032		-		-		-
Solid waste		395,850		-		-		-
Non-expendable		422,966		-		-		-
Debt service		7,639,063		-		686,881		-
Other purposes		1,287,912		-		-		-
Unrestricted (deficit)		(18,318,223)		(1,089,115)		(10,563,019)		342,203
Total net position	\$	36,068,412	\$	(780,339)	\$	(6,016,618)	\$	347,001

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

										D. J	Changes in Net Position																																																															
				Program Revenues					Primary Sovernment	Component Units																																																																
Functions/Programs		Fynansas		Fynenses		Fynenses		Fynansas		Fynansas		Expenses		Expenses		Expenses		Expenses		Fxnenses		Fynenses		Evnansas		Fynansas		Fynenses		Expenses		Charges for Services		Operating Grants and ontributions	G	Capital Grants and Intributions		overnmental Activities		Memorial Fire and Rescue		and Rescue	Alcoh	nol and Drug																														
Primary government	_	Expenses	_	CCIVICCS	_ _	ontributions		mandadons	_	Activities		Library	<u> </u>	Oliminosion .																																																												
Governmental activities:																																																																										
General government	\$	10.882.564	\$	1,450,666	\$	449,703	\$	_	\$	(8,982,195)	\$	_	\$	_	\$	_																																																										
Judicial	*	7,005,856	*	724,092	*	5,140,058	*	_	*	(1,141,706)	•	_	*	_	*	_																																																										
Public safety		15,683,920		1,544,459		2,957,557		117,500		(11,064,404)		_		_		_																																																										
Roads and bridges		6,192,936		1,113,770		3,282,989		790,188		(1,005,989)		_		_		_																																																										
Solid waste		4,403,242		2,494,106		71,005		-		(1,838,131)		_		_		_																																																										
Recreation and culture		4,684,331		828,465		21,839		32,862		(3,801,165)		_		_		_																																																										
Health and human services		3,738,071		_		2,135,123		-		(1,602,948)		_		_		_																																																										
Economic development		1,194,174		_		59,600		_		(1,134,574)		-		_		-																																																										
Interest and fiscal charges		659,989		_		-		_		(659,989)		-		_		-																																																										
Total governmental activities	\$	54,445,083	\$	8,155,558	\$	14,117,874	\$	940,550		(31,231,101)	_	-		-		-																																																										
Component Units																																																																										
Memorial Library	\$	887,974	\$	20,517	\$	780,315	\$	-				(87,142)		-		-																																																										
Fire and Rescue Commission		13,059,282		2,059,042		4,379,006		-				-		(6,621,234)		-																																																										
Alcohol and Drug Commission		1,052,510		132,789		859,067		1,797				_				(58,857)																																																										
Total component units	\$	14,999,766	\$	2,212,348	\$	6,018,388	\$	1,797			_	(87,142)		(6,621,234)		(58,857)																																																										
						neral revenues:																																																																				
						roperty taxes				28,560,290		-		6,198,135		-																																																										
						lcohol excise ta				-		-		-		95,830																																																										
						ocal options sal				2,312,159		-		-		-																																																										
						ocal accommod	lations	s tax		607,041		-		-		-																																																										
						lospitality tax				624,658		-		-		-																																																										
						ranchise fees	9			48,517		-		-		-																																																										
						Frants and contr				4 704 000																																																																
						restricted to spe liscellaneous	ecitic p	orograms		1,701,639		- 0E 747		- 05.050		-																																																										
										327,713 34,182,017		35,717 35,717		25,358 6,223,493	-	95,830																																																										
						general revenu			_	2,950,916		(51,425)		(397,741)		95,830 36,973																																																										
						ge in het position t position, begin		of voor		2,950,910		(31,423)		(391,141)		30,973																																																										
					ive	as restated	illig C	л year,		33,117,496		(728,914)		(5,618,877)		310,028																																																										
					Ne	t position, end c	f vear		\$	36,068,412	\$	(780,339)	\$	(6,016,618)	\$	347,001																																																										
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BALANCE SHEET GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS JUNE 30, 2021

		General		Special Revenue	Coronavirus Local Fiscal Recovery		
ASSETS							
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	9,138,585	\$	1,139,701	\$	3,660,075	
Investments		2,177		-		-	
Receivables, net		4,121,341		1,476,285		-	
Prepaid expenditures		400,434		-		-	
Total assets	\$	13,662,537	\$	2,615,986	\$	3,660,075	
LIABILITIES							
Accounts payable	\$	1,066,279	\$	875,342	\$	_	
Accrued payroll and benefits	*	507,720	*	26,924	Ψ	_	
Accrued liabilities		5,217				_	
Unearned revenue		645,392		486,952		3,659,158	
Total liabilities	-	2,224,608		1,389,218	-	3,659,158	
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES							
Unavailable revenue - fees		13,559		-		-	
Unavailable revenue - property taxes		1,251,041		-		-	
Unavailable revenue - spec assessments		245,667		-		-	
Total deferred inflows of resources		1,510,267		-		-	
FUND BALANCES							
Non-spendable:							
Prepaid expenditures		400,434		-		-	
Restricted for:							
Public safety		-		-		-	
Recreation and culture		-		-		-	
Judicial services		-		-		-	
Solid waste reserve		395,850		-		-	
Economic development		-		-		-	
Debt service		-		-		-	
Other purposes		-		1,226,768		-	
Assigned:							
Judicial services		-		-		-	
Public safety		-		-		-	
Committed:							
Recreation and culture		-		-		-	
Capital projects		-		-		917	
Unassigned		9,131,378					
Total fund balances		9,927,662		1,226,768		917	
Total liabilities, deferred inflows of	•	10 000 505	•	0.045.000	•	0 000 5==	
resources, and fund balances	\$	13,662,537	\$	2,615,986	\$	3,660,075	

	Capital Projects		Capital Sales Tax ebt Service		Nonmajor Governmental Funds	Total Governmental Funds			
\$	10,452,624	\$	5,478,837	\$	2,935,891	\$	32,805,713		
	642,359		- 1,390,496		352,909		2,177 7,983,390		
	042,339		1,590,490		22,532		422,966		
\$	11,094,983	\$	6,869,333	\$	3,311,332	\$	41,214,246		
\$	367,556	\$	_	\$	54,699	\$	2,363,876		
Ψ	-	Ψ	_	Ψ	135,325	Ψ	669,969		
	-		-		-		5,217		
	599,517		-		-		5,391,019		
	967,073		-		190,024		8,430,081		
	-		-		-		13,559		
	-		-		83,281		1,334,322		
	-		-		-		245,667		
	<u>-</u>		<u> </u>		83,281		1,593,548		
	-		-		22,532		422,966		
	_		_		718,590		718,590		
	_		_		61,144		61,144		
	_		_		107,246		107,246		
	-		-		-		395,850		
	362,730		-		-		362,730		
	-		6,869,333		769,730		7,639,063		
	-		-		-		1,226,768		
	_		-		1,171,621		1,171,621		
	-		-		13,671		13,671		
	-		-		173,493		173,493		
	9,765,180		-		-		9,766,097		
	-		-		-		9,131,378		
	10,127,910		6,869,333		3,038,027		31,190,617		
\$	11,094,983	\$	6,869,333	\$	3,311,332	\$	41,214,246		

RECONCILIATION OF THE GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS BALANCE SHEET TO THE STATEMENT OF NET POSITION JUNE 30, 2021

Total governmental fund balances:		\$ 31,190,617
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of net position are different because of the following:		
Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and, therefore, are not reported in the government funds.		57,568,095
Other long-term assets are not available to pay for current period expenditures and, therefore, are deferred in the funds:		
Property taxes and other special assessments Solid waste receivables	\$ 1,579,989 13,559	1,593,548
Deferred outflows of resources are not due and payable in the current period and, therefore, are not reported in the funds. These deferred outflows of resources consist of pension related experience differences, assumption changes and differences between projected and actual earnings on Plan investments:		
Deferred outflows related to pensions Deferred outflows related to other post-employment benefits	\$ 7,163,543 620,374	7,783,917
Long-term liabilities are not due and payable in the current period and, therefore, are not reported in the funds:		
General obligation bonds Bond premiums Capital leases Compensated absences Landfill closure and post-closure cost Accrued interest Net pension liability Total other post-employment benefits liability Deferred inflows of resources are not available to pay for current period expenditures and,	\$ (18,891,093) (220,206) (833,292) (852,547) (583,878) (196,969) (35,319,047) (4,360,196)	(61,257,228)
therefore, are not reported in the funds. These deferred inflows of resources consist of pension related differences between projected and actual earnings on Plan investments.		
Deferred outflows related to pensions Deferred inflows related to other post-employment benefits	\$ (444,629) (365,908)	 (810,537)
Net position of governmental activities		\$ 36,068,412

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

	General	 Special Revenue	Loca	navirus I Fiscal covery
REVENUES				
Taxes	\$ 24,325,353	\$ -	\$	-
Intergovernmental	2,319,839	6,701,231		-
Fines and fees	6,543,841	-		-
Other income	 313,137	 61,528		917
Total revenues	33,502,170	 6,762,759		917
EXPENDITURES				
Current:				
General government	9,429,858	326,032		_
Judicial	1,327,428	506,453		_
Public safety	8,411,186	566,294		_
Roads and bridges	1,883,599	595,551		_
Solid waste	2,907,097	-		_
Recreation and culture	1,701,882	178,427		
Health and human services	869,653	2,627,860		_
Economic development	285,032	25,000		-
·	,	,		-
Intergovernmental	5,205,380	2,201,709		-
Capital outlay:	44.050			-
General government	14,650	-		-
Public safety	-	-		-
Roads and bridges		14,311		-
Solid waste	16,343	-		-
Recreation and culture	-	28,525		-
Debt service:				
Principal	-	-		-
Interest	 -	 -		
Total expenditures	32,052,108	7,070,162		-
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over (under) expenditures	1,450,062	(307,403)		917
		 		<u>.</u>
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)				
Sale of capital assets	661	-		-
Issuance of debt	-	-		-
Insurance recoveries	77,162	-		-
Transfers in	1,952,728	1,277,531		_
Transfers out	(2,513,203)	-		_
Total other financing sources	 (=,=:=,===)	 		
(uses)	(482,652)	1,277,531		_
Net change in fund balances	967,410	 970,128		917
Fund balances, beginning of year	9 060 050	250.040		
as restated	 8,960,252	 256,640	-	<u> </u>
Fund balances, end of year	\$ 9,927,662	\$ 1,226,768	\$	917

	Capital Projects	Capital Sales Tax Debt Service	Nonmajor Governmental Funds	Total Governmental Funds				
\$	_	\$ 5,408,026	\$ 3,307,828	\$ 33,041,207				
Ψ	2,657,358	ψ 0,100,020 -	4,392,281	16,070,709				
	_,00.,000	_	529,858	7,073,699				
	532,482	15,546	35,037	958,647				
	3,189,840	5,423,572	8,265,004	57,144,262				
	637,334	-	2,125	10,395,349				
	· -	-	4,508,451	6,342,332				
	411,670	-	471,943	9,861,093				
	-	-	5,791	2,484,941				
	1,093,084	-	-	4,000,181				
	42,509	-	439,190	2,362,008				
	7,931	-	-	3,505,444				
	677,808	-	124,152	1,111,992				
	636,467	-	31,702	8,075,258				
	040 440	-		000 700				
	312,118	-	-	326,768				
	526	-	-	526 14,311				
	-	-	-	16,343				
	-	-	-	28,525				
	_	3,790,000	1,408,333	5,198,333				
		297,050	482,662	779,712				
	3,819,447	4,087,050	7,474,349	54,503,116				
	(629,607)	1,336,522	790,655	2,641,146				
	9.640		0.034	10 222				
	8,640	-	9,031	18,332				
	581,093 496,528	-	4,948	581,093 578,638				
	792,440	_	1,570,838	5,593,537				
	(1,140,000)		(1,940,334)					
	738,701	_	(355,517)	1,178,063				
	109,094	1,336,522	435,138	3,819,209				
	. 50,00 F	.,000,022	100,100	5,515,250				
	10,018,816	5,532,811	2,602,889	27,371,408				
\$	10,127,910	\$ 6,869,333	\$ 3,038,027	\$ 31,190,617				

RECONCILIATION OF THE STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES OF GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS TO THE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

Net change in fund balances - total governmental funds		\$ 3,819,209
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of activities are different because:		
Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures. However, in the statement of activities, the cost of those assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives and reported as depreciation expense:		
Capital outlay Depreciation expense	\$ 1,433,624 (3,854,531)	(2,420,907)
The net effect of various miscellaneous transactions involving capital assets (i.e., sales, trade-ins, and donations) is to decrease net position.		(193,492)
Revenues in the statement of activities that do not provide current financial resources are not reported as revenues in the funds:		
Property taxes and other special assessments Solid waste receivables	\$ (333,011) 6,110	(326,901)
The issuance of long-term debt provides current financial resources to governmental funds, while the repayment of the principal of long-term debt consumes the current financial resources of governmental funds. Neither transaction, however, has any effect on net position. Governmental funds report the effect of premiums, discounts, and similar items when debt is first issued, whereas these amounts are deferred and amortized in the statement of activities. The effects of these items are as follows:		
Repayment of the principal of long-term debt Issuance of long-term debt Premium on bond issuance	\$ 5,198,333 (581,093)	
Amortization of premium on long-term debt	 74,616	4,691,856
Some expenses reported in the statement of activities do not require the use of current financial resources and, therefore, are not reported as expenditures in governmental funds. In addition, interest on long-term debt is not recognized under the modified accrual basis of accounting until due, rather than as it accrues. The following amounts represent the net liability changes using the full accrual method of accounting:		
Pension liability Landfill closure and post-closure liability Compensated absences	\$ (2,194,753) (20,306) (70,685) 45,107	
Accrued interest on long-term debt Other post-employment benefits liability	 (378,212)	 (2,618,849)
		\$ 2,950,916

STATEMENT OF FIDUCIARY NET POSITION CUSTODIAL FUNDS JUNE 30, 2021

ASSETS	
Cash and cash equivalents Taxes receivable Other receivable Total assets	\$ 11,866,443 3 4,509 \$ 11,870,955
LIABILITIES	
Due to others Total liabilities	\$ 8,947,965 \$ 8,947,965
NET POSITION	
Restricted for individuals, organizations and other governments	\$ 2,922,990 \$ 2,922,990

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FIDUCIARY NET POSITION CUSTODIAL FUNDS JUNE 30, 2021

ADDITIONS	
Taxes Fines and fees	\$ 22,212,654 4,090,080
Miscellaneous Total additions	<u>20,133,289</u> 46,436,023
DEDUCTIONS	
Taxes and fees paid to other governments	30,900,555
Other custodial disbursements	13,570,953
Total deductions	44,471,508
Change in fiduciary net position	1,964,515
Net position, beginning of year, as restated	958,475
Net position, end of year	\$ 2,922,990

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2021

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Description of Government-wide Financial Statements

The government-wide financial statements (i.e., the statement of net position and the statement of activities) report information on all of the non-fiduciary activities of the primary government and its component units. All fiduciary activities are reported only in the fund financial statements. For the most part, the effect of interfund activity has been removed from these statements. The primary government is reported separately from certain legally separate component units for which the primary government is financially accountable.

Reporting Entity

Colleton County, South Carolina (the "County"), is governed by a five-member County Council (the "Council") under the Council-Administrator form of government, pursuant to the South Carolina Home Rule Act. Members of the Council are elected from resident districts. The Council acts as the governing body of the County with power to pass ordinances and adopt resolutions. The accompanying financial statements present the government and its component units, entities for which the government is considered to be financially accountable. Blended component units are, in substance, part of the primary government's operations, even though they are legally separate entities. Each discretely presented component unit is reported in a separate column in the government-wide financial statements to emphasize that it is legally separate from the government. The County does not have any blended component units as of June 30, 2021.

Discretely Presented Component Units

The nine members of the **Colleton County Memorial Library's (the "Library")** governing board are appointed by the Council. The Library is fiscally dependent upon the government because the Council approves the Library's budgets, and can significantly influence the decisions of the Library. The Library does not issue separate financial statements.

The five members of the Colleton County Fire and Rescue Commission (the "Fire and Rescue Commission") are selected by the Council from ten members presented by the Fire Control Board, an advisory board comprised of a member from each of the participating fire departments. The Fire and Rescue Commission is fiscally dependent upon the government because the Council approves the Fire and Rescue Commission's budgets, levies taxes and must approve any debt issuances. The Fire and Rescue Commission does not issue separate financial statements.

The nine members of the Colleton County Commission on Alcohol and Drug Abuse (the "Alcohol and Drug Commission") governing board are appointed by the Council. The Alcohol and Drug Commission is fiscally dependent upon the County because the Council approves the Alcohol and Drug Commission's budgets and can significantly influence the decisions of the Alcohol and Drug Commission. Separately issued financial statements may be obtained at 1439 Thunderbolt Drive, Walterboro, South Carolina, 29488.

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Reporting Entity (Continued)

Basis of Presentation - Government-wide Financial Statements

While separate government-wide and fund financial statements are presented, they are interrelated. Separate financial statements are provided for governmental funds and fiduciary funds, even though the latter are excluded from the government-wide financial statements.

As discussed earlier, the government has three discretely presented component units. While the Alcohol and Drug Commission is not considered to be a major component unit, it is nevertheless shown in a separate column in the government-wide financial statements.

In the process of aggregating data for the statement of net position and the statement of activities, some amounts reported as interfund activity and balances in the funds are eliminated or reclassified in the government-wide financial statements. Eliminations have been made in the statement of activities to remove the "doubling-up" effect of internal service fund activity. Interfund services provided and used are not eliminated in the process of consolidation. Also, the County allocates indirect cost to each of its funds. The indirect costs are eliminated in the government-wide financial statements.

Basis of Presentation – Fund Financial Statements

The fund financial statements provide information about the County's funds, including its fiduciary funds. Separate statements for each fund category – governmental and fiduciary – are presented. The emphasis of fund financial statements is on major governmental funds, each displayed in a separate column. All remaining governmental funds are aggregated and reported as nonmajor funds. Major individual governmental funds are reported as separate columns in the fund financial statements. Fiduciary funds are reported by type.

The County reports the following major governmental funds:

The **General Fund** is the County's primary operating fund. It accounts for all financial resources of the general government, except those required to be accounted for in another fund.

The **Special Revenue Fund** accounts for all grants and contributions awarded to the County.

The **Coronavirus Local Fiscal Recovery Fund** accounts for grant funds awarded to the County from the U.S. Department of Treasury as part of the State and Local Fiscal Recovery Fund under the American Rescue Plan.

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Reporting Entity (Continued)

Basis of Presentation - Fund Financial Statements (Continued)

The *Capital Projects Fund* accounts for the transactions of the acquisition of capital assets and construction of major capital projects.

The *Capital Sales Tax Debt Service Fund* is used to collect local option special purpose taxes and disburse debt payments for the Capital Penny Sales Tax Bond that was passed by voter referendum.

In addition, the County reports the following nonmajor fund types:

The **Special Revenue Funds** account for revenue sources that are legally restricted to expenditures for specific purposes (not including expendable trusts or major capital projects) such as grants, fire and other special purpose fees, and economic development.

The **Debt Service Funds** account for the accumulation of resources for, and payment of, long-term debt principal and interest. The County's Debt Service Fund was established and is maintained in accordance with acts passed by the General Assembly of South Carolina authorizing the sale of general obligation bonds of the County. The Non-GOB Debt Service Fund accounts for the accumulation of funds and payment of various capital leases and notes payable.

Additionally, the County reports the following fund types.

The **Custodial Funds** are used to account for monies held on behalf of school districts, special districts and other agencies that use the County as a depository, or property taxes that are collected on behalf of the other governments.

During the course of operations, the government has activity between funds for various purposes. Any residual balances outstanding at year-end are reported as due from/to other funds. While these balances are reported in fund financial statements, certain eliminations are made in the presentation of the government-wide financial statements.

Further, certain activity occurs during the year involving transfers of resources between funds. In the fund financial statements, these amounts are reported at gross amounts as transfers in/out. While reported in fund financial statements, certain eliminations are made in the preparation of the government-wide financial statements. Transfers between the funds included in the governmental activities are eliminated so that only the net amount is included as transfers in the governmental activities column.

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting

The accounting and financial reporting treatment is determined by the applicable measurement focus and basis of accounting. Measurement focus indicates the type of resources being measured such as current financial resources or economic resources. The basis of accounting indicates the timing of transactions or events for recognition in the financial statements.

The government-wide financial statements are reported using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting, as are the fiduciary fund financial statements. Revenues are recorded when earned and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Property taxes are recognized as revenues in the year for which they are levied. Grants and similar items are recognized as revenues as soon as all eligibility requirements imposed by the provider have been met.

The governmental fund financial statements are reported using the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recognized as soon as they are measurable and available. Revenues are considered to be available when they are collectible within the current period or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. For this purpose, the County considers revenues to be available if they are collected within the first 60 days of the end of the current fiscal period, except for grant reimbursements for which the availability period is 120 days. Expenditures generally are recorded when a liability is incurred as under accrual accounting. However, debt service expenditures, as well as expenditures related to compensated absences and claims and judgments, are recorded only when payment is due. General capital asset acquisitions are reported as expenditures in governmental funds. Issuances of long-term debt and acquisitions under capital leases are reported as other financing sources.

Property taxes, sales taxes, franchise taxes, licenses, and interest associated with the current fiscal period are all considered to be susceptible to accrual and, therefore, have been recognized as revenues of the current fiscal period. Entitlements are recorded as revenues when all eligibility requirements are met, including any time requirements, and the amount is received during the period or within the availability period for this revenue source (within 60 days of year-end). Expenditure-driven grants are recognized as revenue when the qualifying expenditures have been incurred and all other eligibility requirements have been met, and the amount is received during the period or within the availability period for this revenue source (within 120 days of year-end). All other revenue items are considered to be measurable and available only when cash is received by the government.

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Budgetary Basis of Accounting

Annual budgets are adopted on a basis consistent with generally accepted accounting principles ("GAAP") for the General Fund, the Fire and Rescue Commission, and the Memorial Library. All other special revenue funds and debt service funds (excludes the GO Bond Fund, State Accommodations Fund, Sheriff's Discretionary Fund and the 14th Circuit Court Solicitor Fund) that have appropriated budgets, also conform to GAAP but tend to follow the revenue source generated by those funds (i.e., grant awards and projects funds). All annual appropriations lapse at fiscal year-end. Due to the late receipt of funding for the Coronavirus Local Fiscal Recovery Fund, a formal budget was not adopted during the fiscal year. However, the County has established a project-length budget for this fund.

The appropriated budget is prepared by fund, function, and department. The government's departmental heads may make transfers of appropriations within a department. Transfers of appropriations between departments require the approval of the County Administrator. The legal level of budgetary control (i.e., the level at which expenditures may not legally exceed appropriations) is the fund level. The Council may make supplemental budgetary appropriations throughout the year.

Appropriations in all budgeted funds lapse at the end of the fiscal year even if they have related encumbrances. Encumbrances are commitments related to unperformed (executor) contracts for goods and services (i.e., purchase order, contracts, and commitments). Encumbrance accounting is utilized to the extent necessary to assure effective budgetary control and accountability and to facilitate effective cash planning and control. While all appropriations and encumbrances lapse at year-end, valid outstanding encumbrances (those for which performance under executor contract is expected in the next year) are re-appropriated and become part of the subsequent year's budget pursuant to state regulations.

Assets, Liabilities, Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources and Net Position/Fund Balance

Cash and Cash Equivalents and Deposits

The "deposits" classification is used only in the notes, not on the face of the statement of net position. Deposits include cash on hand, pooled money market funds and certificates of deposit.

The County considers cash and cash equivalents for cash flow purposes to be currency on hand, demand deposits with banks, amounts included in pooled cash and investment accounts, and liquid investments with an original maturity of three months or less when purchased.

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Assets, Liabilities, Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources and Net Position/Fund Balance (Continued)

Investments

In accordance with Governmental Accounting Standards Board ("GASB") Statement No. 31, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Certain Investments and for External Investment Pools, investments are carried at fair value determined annually based upon quoted market prices. The total fair value of the pool is apportioned to the entities with funds invested on an equal basis for each share owned, which are acquired at a cost of \$1.

The County and its component units have a number of financial instruments, none of which are held for trading purposes. Except for non-participating investment contracts, investments are reported at fair value, which is based on quoted market prices. Debt securities are reported at cost or amortized cost.

Prepaid Items

Certain payments to vendors for services that will benefit periods beyond June 30, 2021, are recorded as prepaid items using the consumption method by recording the asset for the prepaid amount and reflecting the expenditure/expense in the year which the services are consumed. Prepaid items of governmental funds in the fund financial statements are offset by an equal amount with a reserve of fund balance to indicate that they are not available for general appropriation.

Capital Assets

Capital assets, which include property, plant, equipment, and infrastructure assets (e.g., roads, bridges, sidewalks, and similar items) are reported in the governmental activities in the government-wide financial statements. Capital assets other than infrastructure are defined by the government as assets with an initial, individual cost of more than \$5,000 and an estimated useful life in excess of one year. The capitalization threshold for infrastructure assets is \$50,000 for individual items and networks. Such assets are recorded at historical cost or estimated historical cost if purchased or constructed. Donated capital assets are recorded at acquisition value at the date of donation.

The costs of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value of the asset or materially extend an asset's life are not capitalized.

Major outlays for capital assets and improvements are capitalized as projects are constructed. Interest incurred during construction of governmental-type activities is not capitalized.

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Assets, Liabilities, Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources and Net Position/Fund Balance (Continued)

Capital Assets (Continued)

All reported capital assets except land and certain infrastructure assets are depreciated. Useful lives for infrastructure are estimated based on the County's historical records of necessary improvements and replacements. Depreciation is provided using the straight-line method over the following estimated useful lives:

		Component Units									
Asset Class	County	Memorial Library	Fire and Rescue Commission	Alcohol and Drug Commission							
Buildings and improvements											
Buildings	45	45	45	N/A							
Building improvements	10	10	10	N/A							
Improvements other than buildings											
Improvements other than buildings	10	10	10	N/A							
Radio and fire towers	10	10	10	N/A							
Library materials	N/A	5	5	N/A							
Machinery and equipment											
Furniture and office equipment	5	5	5	3 - 20							
Fire and medical equipment	5	5	5	N/A							
Heavy vehicles and equipment	10	10	10	N/A							
Vehicles											
Airplanes	6	N/A	N/A	N/A							
Law enforcement vehicles	3	N/A	N/A	N/A							
Other vehicles	5	5	5	3 - 20							
Infrastructure	20	N/A	N/A	N/A							

Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources

In addition to assets, the statement of net position will sometimes report a separate section for deferred outflows of resources. This separate financial statement element represents a consumption of net position that applies to a future period(s) and, therefore, will not be recognized as an outflow of resources (expense/expenditure) until then. The County reports deferred outflows related to its net pension liability and total other post-employment benefits liability in the statement of net position. These amounts are deferred and recognized as an outflow of resources in the period in which the amounts become available.

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Assets, Liabilities, Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources and Net Position/Fund Balance (Continued)

Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources (Continued)

In addition to liabilities, the statement of net position and the governmental funds balance sheet will sometimes report a separate section for deferred inflows of resources. This separate financial statement element represents an acquisition of net position that applies to a future period(s) and, therefore, will not be recognized as an inflow of resources (revenue) until that time. The County has unavailable revenues from property taxes and special assessments, fees, and intergovernmental revenue that arise under the modified accrual basis of accounting that qualifies for reporting in this category and is reported in the governmental funds balance sheet. The statement of net position reports deferred inflows related to its net pension liability, and total other post-employment benefits liability. These amounts are deferred and recognized as an inflow of resources in the period in which the amounts become available.

Net Position Flow Assumptions

Sometimes the County will fund outlays for a particular purpose from both restricted (e.g., restricted bond or grant proceeds) and unrestricted resources. In order to calculate the amounts to report as restricted net position and unrestricted net position in the government-wide and proprietary fund financial statements, a flow assumption must be made about the order in which the resources are considered to be applied. It is the County's policy to consider restricted net position to have been depleted before unrestricted net position is applied.

Fund Balance Flow Assumptions

Sometimes the County will fund outlays for a particular purpose from both restricted and unrestricted resources (the total of committed, assigned, and unassigned fund balance). In order to calculate the amounts to report as restricted, committed, assigned, and unassigned fund balance in the governmental fund financial statements, a flow assumption must be made about the order in which the resources are considered to be applied. It is the County's policy to consider restricted fund balance to have been depleted before using any of the components of unrestricted fund balance. Further, when the components of unrestricted fund balance can be used for the same purpose, committed fund balance is depleted first, followed by assigned fund balance. Unassigned fund balance is applied last.

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Assets, Liabilities, Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources and Net Position/Fund Balance (Continued)

Fund Balance Policies

Fund balance of governmental funds is reported in various categories based on the nature of any limitations requiring the use of resources for specific purposes. The County itself can establish limitations on the use of resources through either a commitment (committed fund balance) or an assignment (assigned fund balance).

The committed fund balance classification includes amounts that can be used only for the specific purposes determined by a formal action of the County's highest level of decision-making authority. The governing Council is the highest level of decision-making authority for the County that can, by adoption of an ordinance prior to the end of the fiscal year, commit fund balance. Once adopted, the limitation imposed by the ordinance remains in place until a similar action is taken (the adoption of another ordinance) to remove or revise the limitation.

Amounts in the assigned fund balance classification are intended to be used by the County for specific purposes but do not meet the criteria to be classified as committed. The governing Council has, by resolution, authorized the administrator to assign fund balance. The Council may also assign fund balance as it does when appropriating fund balance to cover a gap between estimated revenue and appropriations in the subsequent year's appropriated budget. Unlike commitments, assignments generally only exist temporarily. In other words, an additional action does not normally have to be taken for the removal of an assignment. Conversely, as discussed above, an additional action is essential to either remove or revise a commitment.

Revenues and Expenditures/Expenses

Program Revenues

Amounts reported as program revenues include: 1) charges to customers or applicants who purchase, use, or directly benefit from goods, services, or privileges provided by a given function or segment, and 2) grants and contributions (including special assessments) that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular function or segment. All taxes, including those dedicated for specific purposes, and other internally dedicated resources are reported as general revenues rather than as program revenues.

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Revenues and Expenditures/Expenses (Continued)

Property Taxes

The County ordinance provides for the taxation of all real and personal property located within the County limits on the first day of January. Motor vehicle taxes are billed and collected by the County Treasurer on a monthly basis. Other personal and real property taxes are levied by the County after September of each year and become due and payable immediately upon receipt by the taxpayer. Real property taxes are delinquent after January 15th. Assessed property is subject to lien one year from the levy date if taxes remain unpaid.

Compensated Absences

Vacation – The County's policy permits employees to accumulate earned but unused vacation benefits, which are eligible for payment upon separation from County service. The liability for such leave is reported as incurred in the government-wide financial statements. A liability for those amounts is recorded in the governmental funds only if the liability has matured as a result of employee resignation or retirement. The liability for compensated absences includes salary-related benefits, where applicable, and is paid from the general fund for the most part with a small portion related to other nonmajor governmental funds.

Sick Leave – Accumulated sick leave lapses when employees leave the employment of the County and, upon separation from service, no monetary obligation exists.

Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions. These estimates affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and revenues and expenditures/expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

NOTE 2. DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS

Interest Rate Risk

Interest rate risk is the risk that changes in interest rates that will adversely affect the fair value of an investment. Investments held for longer periods are subject to increased risk of adverse interest rate changes. The County does not have a formal investment policy that limits investment maturities as a means of managing its exposure to fair value losses arising from increasing interest rates.

NOTE 2. DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS (CONTINUED)

Credit Risk

Credit risk is the risk that an issuer to an investment will not fulfill its obligations. In accordance with South Carolina state statutes, the County's investment decisions are at the discretion of the elected County Treasurer, subject to the statutes that authorize the County and its component units to invest in the following:

- Obligations of the United States and agencies thereof;
- Obligations issued by the Federal Financing Bank, Federal Farm Credit Bank, the Bank of Cooperatives, the Federal Intermediate Credit Bank, the Federal Land Banks, the Federal Home Loan Banks, the Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation, the Federal National Mortgage Association, the Government National Mortgage Association, the Federal Housing Administration, if, at the time of investment, the obligor has a long-term, unenhanced, unsecured debt rating in one of the top two ratings categories, without regard to a refinement or gradation of rating category by numerical modifier or otherwise, issued by at least two nationally recognized credit rating agencies;
- 3. General obligations of the State of South Carolina or any of its political units;
- 4. Savings and loan association deposits to the extent insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation;
- Certificates of Deposit and repurchase agreements collateralized by securities of the type described in 1. and 2. above, held by a third-party as escrow agent or custodian, of a fair value not less than the amount of certificates of deposit and repurchase agreements so secured, including interest; and
- 6. No-load open and closed-end management type investment companies or investment trusts registered under the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended, where the investment is made by a bank or trust company, savings and loan association, or other financial institution when acting as trustee or agent for a bond or other debt issue of that local government unit.

In addition, South Carolina state statues authorize the County to invest in the South Carolina Local Government Investment Pool ("SCLGIP"). The SCLGIP is an investment mechanism authorized by the Legislature and signed into law on May 13, 1983, to provide local governments an opportunity to acquire maximum returns on investments by pooling available funds with funds from other political subdivisions. The SCLGIP is permitted under South Carolina 1976 Code of Laws Section 6-6-10, Section 12-45-220 and Section 11-1-60 to purchase obligations of the United States government treasuries, United States government agencies, repurchase agreements fully collateralized by United States government treasuries or agencies, corporate securities and commercial paper that bear an investment grade rating of at least two nationally recognized rating services.

NOTE 2. DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS (CONTINUED)

Concentration of Credit Risk

Concentration of credit risk is the risk of loss attributed to the magnitude of the County's investment in a single issuer. The County places no limit on the amount that may be invested in any one issuer. See below for additional information regarding the County's deposits. All funds of the Fire and Rescue Commission and the Library are included in the funds administered by the County Treasurer. The only exception to this is that the funds of the Alcohol and Drug Commission are not included in the funds administered by the County Treasurer.

	 Fair Value	Percentage of Portfolio
Repurchase agreements	\$ 32,789,571	71%
Certificates of deposit	2,172	0%
Savings accounts	215,160	0%
Checking accounts	12,846,305	28%
Cash on hand	 7,374	0%
Deposits held by County Treasurer	\$ 45,860,582	100%

Custodial Credit Risk – Deposits

In the case of deposits, custodial credit risk is the risk that in the event of a bank failure, the County's deposits may not be returned to it. Deposits of the County are subject to South Carolina state statutes for custodial credit risk. The statutes provide that banks accepting deposits of funds from local government units must furnish an indemnity bond or pledge as collateral obligations of the United States, South Carolina, political subdivisions of South Carolina, the Federal National Mortgage Association, the Federal Home Loan Bank, the Federal Farm Credit Bank, or the Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation. Driven by the aforementioned statute, the County's informal policy requires deposits to be secured by collateral valued at fair or par, whichever is lower, less the amount of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation ("FDIC") insurance. Deposited funds may be invested in demand or time deposits, continuously and fully secured with direct obligations of or obligations guaranteed by the United States of America having a fair value not less than the amount of such monies. Custodial credit risk for deposits is not formally addressed by bond indentures. Indentures require that restricted deposits be maintained by the trustee bank, as custodian, specified in the indenture.

As of June 30, 2021, the County's bank balance of \$45,721,505 was fully collateralized by pledging financial institutions trust departments in the County's name.

NOTE 2. DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS (CONTINUED)

Custodial Credit Risk – Investments

In the case of investments, custodial credit risk is the risk that, in the event of the failure of the counterparty, the County will not be able to recover the value of its investments or collateral securities that are in possession of an outside party. The County does not have a formal investment policy regarding custodial credit risk.

NOTE 3. RECEIVABLES

Receivables as of year-end for the County's individual major funds, nonmajor funds in the aggregate and component units, including the applicable allowances for uncollectible accounts, are as follows:

				Primary G	ove	rnment			
						Capital			Total
			Special	Capital		Sales Tax	Nonmajor		Primary
	_	General	 Revenue	 Projects		Debt Service	 Governmental		Government
Taxes receivable	\$	4,618,483	\$ -	\$ -	\$	-	\$ 357,301	\$	4,975,784
Accounts receivable		1,515,968	-	-		-	-		1,515,968
Other receivables		1,795,862	1,476,285	642,359		1,390,496	206,081		5,511,083
Less: allowance		(3,808,972)	 -	 -		-	 (210,473)	_	(4,019,445)
Net receivables	\$	4,121,341	\$ 1,476,285	\$ 642,359	\$	1,390,496	\$ 352,909	\$	7,983,390

	Component Units							
		Fire and		Alcohol		Total		
	Rescue			and Drug		Component		
		Commission		Commission		Units		
Taxes receivable	\$	14,060,521	\$	-	\$	14,060,521		
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Accounts receivable		721		38,000		38,721		
Other receivables		-		121,022		121,022		
Less: allowance		(12,085,979)	_	(5,095)		(12,091,074)		
Net receivables	\$	1,975,263	\$	153,927	\$	2,129,190		

NOTE 4. INTERFUND TRANSFERS

Interfund transfers for the year ended June 30, 2021, consisted of the following:

Major Governmental Funds	T	ransfers In	Tr	ansfers Out
General Fund	\$	1,952,728	\$	2,513,203
Special Revenue Fund		1,277,531		-
Capital Projects Fund		792,440		1,140,000
Nonmajor Governmental Funds		1,570,838		1,940,334
Component Unit		922,214		922,214
Total interfund balances	\$	6,515,751	\$	6,515,751

Transfers are used: 1) to move revenues from the fund with collection authorization to the fund with expenditure authorization, and 2) to use unrestricted revenues collected in the general fund to finance various programs accounted for in other funds in accordance with budgetary authorizations, including amounts provided as matching funds for various grant programs.

NOTE 5. CAPITAL ASSETS

Capital asset activity for the year ended June 30, 2021 was as follows:

		Balance						Balance
Governmental activities	Ju	ne 30, 2020	 Additions		Deletions	Transfers	_Jι	une 30, 2021
Capital assets not being depreciated:								
Land	\$	3,269,948	\$ 17,500	\$	-	\$ 189,828	\$	3,477,276
Land - infrastructure		4,595,932	-		-	-		4,595,932
Construction in progress		1,381,977	 1,257,992		(174,002)	(1,019,118)		1,446,849
Total capital assets						 		
not being depreciated		9,247,857	 1,275,492	_	(174,002)	(829,290)		9,520,057
Capital assets being depreciated:								
Buildings and improvements		46,596,632	-		(126,659)	-		46,469,973
Improvements other than buildings		12,108,115	73,203		-	87,119		12,268,437
Equipment and vehicles		28,036,787	84,929		(2,662,415)	742,171		26,201,472
Infrastructure		14,436,202	 					14,436,202
Total capital assets								
being depreciated		101,177,736	 158,132	_	(2,789,074)	 829,290		99,376,084
Less accumulated depreciation:								
Buildings and improvements		(15,718,065)	(1,125,415)		126,659	-		(16,716,821)
Improvements other than buildings		(6,451,861)	(742,504)		-	-		(7,194,365)
Equipment and vehicles		(19,982,307)	(1,519,863)		2,642,925	-		(18,859,245)
Infrastructure		(8,090,866)	 (466,749)			 		(8,557,615)
Total accumulated depreciation		(50,243,099)	 (3,854,531)		2,769,584	 		(51,328,046)
Total capital assets being								
depreciated, net		50,934,637	 (3,696,399)		(19,490)	 829,290		48,048,038
Governmental activities								
capital assets, net	\$	60,182,494	\$ (2,420,907)	\$	(193,492)	\$ _	\$	57,568,095

NOTE 5. CAPITAL ASSETS (CONTINUED)

Depreciation expense was charged to functions of the primary government as follows:

Governmental Activities	
General government	\$ 345,735
Judicial	(45,161)
Roads and bridges	940,206
Public safety	762,815
Solid waste	301,540
Recreation and culture	1,451,606
Health and human services	 97,790
Total Governmental Activities Depreciation Expense	\$ 3,854,531

Discretely Presented Component Units

Fire and Rescue Commission activity for the year ended June 30, 2021, is as follows:

		Balance					Balance
Fire and Rescue Commission	J	une 30, 2020	 Additions	Deletions	Transfers	<u>J</u> ı	une 30, 2021
Capital assets not being depreciated:							
Land	\$	542,365	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$	542,365
Construction in progress		1,184,519	1,141,116	-	(1,390,162)		935,473
Total capital assets							
not being depreciated		1,726,884	 1,141,116	 	 (1,390,162)		1,477,838
Capital assets being depreciated:							
Buildings and improvements		6,908,991	-	-	444,871		7,353,862
Improvements other than buildings		147,532	-	-	-		147,532
Equipment and vehicles		20,205,249	112,040	(180,640)	945,291		21,081,940
Total capital assets							
being depreciated		27,261,772	 112,040	 (180,640)	 1,390,162		28,583,334
Less accumulated depreciation:							
Buildings and improvements		(2,356,014)	(140,656)	-	-		(2,496,670)
Improvements other than buildings		(133,114)	(2,750)	-	-		(135,864)
Equipment and vehicles		(15,053,824)	 (838,954)	 180,640	 		(15,712,138)
Total accumulated depreciation		(17,542,952)	(982,360)	 180,640	 		(18,344,672)
Total capital assets being							
depreciated, net		9,718,820	 (870,320)	 	 1,390,162		10,238,662
Fire and rescue commission							
capital assets, net	\$	11,445,704	\$ 270,796	\$ 	\$ 	\$	11,716,500

Depreciation expense incurred by the Fire and Rescue Commission for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2021 was \$982,360.

NOTE 5. CAPITAL ASSETS (CONTINUED)

Discretely Presented Component Units (Continued)

Memorial Library activity for the year ended June 30, 2021, is as follows:

		Balance								Balance
Memorial Library	Ju	ine 30, 2020	-	Additions	D	eletions	Tra	nsfers	Ju	ne 30, 2021
Capital assets being depreciated:		_	,							_
Buildings and improvements	\$	119,026	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	119,026
Librarymaterials		2,070,613		92,150		(8,139)		-		2,154,624
Equipment and vehicles		361,423								361,423
Total capital assets		_								
being depreciated		2,551,062		92,150		(8,139)				2,635,073
Less accumulated depreciation:										
Buildings and improvements		(119,026)		-		-		-		(119,026)
Library materials		(1,856,908)		(87,328)		8,139		-		(1,936,097)
Equipment and vehicles		(252,577)		(18,597)						(271,174)
Total accumulated depreciation		(2,228,511)		(105,925)		8,139				(2,326,297)
Total capital assets being		222 554		(40.775)						200 770
depreciated, net	-	322,551		(13,775)			-			308,776
Memorial library										
capital assets, net	\$	322,551	\$	(13,775)	\$		\$	<u> </u>	\$	308,776

Depreciation expense incurred by the Memorial Library for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2021, was \$105,925.

NOTE 6. LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS

Long-term obligations for the year ended June 30, 2021, is as follows:

	Jı	Balance une 30, 2020	Additions	F	Reductions	Jı	Balance une 30, 2021		Due Within One Year
Primary Government									
Governmental activities:									
Bonds:									
General obligation	\$	22,585,000	\$ 581,093	\$	4,275,000	\$	18,891,093	\$	4,951,093
Bond premiums		294,822	_		74,616		220,206		-
Capital leases		1,756,625	-		923,333		833,292		833,292
Net pension liability		30,624,282	4,862,859		168,094		35,319,047		-
Total OPEB liability		3,553,380	847,410		40,594		4,360,196		-
Compensated absences		781,862	309,840		239,155		852,547		127,882
Landfill closure and									
post-closure costs		563,572	20,306		-		583,878		-
Governmental activity									
long-term liabilities	\$	60,159,543	\$ 6,621,508	\$	5,720,792	\$	61,060,259	\$	5,912,267

Landfill post-closure costs, net pension liability, compensated absences, and total OPEB liability are generally liquidated by the General Fund.

		Balance					Balance		ue Within
Component Units	Jı	ıne 30, 2020	Additions	R	eductions	Jı	ıne 30, 2021	(One Year
Fire and rescue commission			_						
Bonds:									
General obligation	\$	8,420,000	\$ -	\$	1,005,000	\$	7,415,000	\$	1,030,000
Bond premiums		78,820	-		15,168		63,652		-
Capital leases		1,298,935	-		313,604		985,331		320,921
Net pension liability		12,004,186	6,895,681		4,916,717		13,983,150		-
Total OPEB liability		648,603	154,075		6,809		795,869		-
Compensated absences		301,602	184,279		139,485		346,396		51,960
Governmental activity			_						
long-term liabilities	\$	22,752,146	\$ 7,234,035	\$	6,396,783	\$	23,589,398	\$	1,402,881
Memorial library									
Net pension liability	\$	797,355	\$ 400,206	\$	281,940	\$	915,621	\$	-
Total OPEB liability		430,987	99,048		1,186		528,849		-
Compensated absences		21,898	19,174		22,642		18,430		2,765
Governmental activity									
long-term liabilities	\$	1,250,240	\$ 518,428	\$	305,768	\$	1,462,900	\$	2,765

NOTE 6. LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS (CONTINUED)

Primary Government

Bonds Payable

There are a number of limitations and restrictions contained in the various bond indentures. Management believes the County is in compliance with all significant limitations and restrictions.

The South Carolina constitution permits the County to incur general obligation (general purpose) bonded indebtedness not to exceed 8% of the assessed value of taxable property in the County. At June 30, 2021, the County was in compliance with this requirement.

The following is a summary of each long-term bond obligation of the governmental activities of the County at June 30, 2021:

General Obligation Bonds	Amount				
\$5,395,000 General Obligation Bond, Series 2015, with interest of 3.498%, annual principal and interest payments beginning in 2017, matures 2032, for the purpose of refunding the special source revenue bond and for economic development purposes.	\$	3,955,000			
\$4,000,000 General Obligation Bond, Series 2012, with interest of 2.0% to 3.0%, semi-annual principal and interest payments beginning 2013, matures 2032, for the purpose of economic development at the business park.		2,420,000			
\$29,000,000 General Obligation Bond, Series 2015, 1.82% annual interest, annual principal and interest payments beginning in 2016, matures 2024, for the purpose of County-wide projects by voters.		11,935,000			
\$581,093 General Obligation Bond, Series 2020, 1.27% annual interest, for the purpose of funding shortfalls in revenues to pay debt service on County debt, paid off in full subsequent to year-end.		581,093			
	\$	18,891,093			

NOTE 6. LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS (CONTINUED)

Primary Government (Continued)

Bonds Payable (Continued)

The annual requirements to amortize the bonds are as follows:

Year Ending	General Obligation Bonds									
June 30,	Principal	Interest	Total							
2022	\$ 4,951,093	\$ 426,406	\$ 5,377,499							
2023	4,480,000	329,328	4,809,328							
2024	4,615,000	224,958	4,839,958							
2025	540,000	159,683	699,683							
2026	555,000	144,248	699,248							
2027 – 2030	2,415,000	443,402	2,858,402							
2031 – 2032	1,335,000	24,226	1,359,226							
	\$ 18,891,093	\$ 1,752,251	\$ 20,643,344							

Refunding

In prior years, the County issued \$5.395 million General Obligation Bond Series 2015 that fully refunded the \$4.72 million Special Source Revenue Bond Series 2012. The refunding resulted in the County saving \$150,608 in debt service required from 2016 through 2023 to service the Series 2012 Special Source Revenue Bonds versus servicing the new debt Series 2015 General Obligation Bonds including the costs associated with completing the refunding.

Capital Lease

Capital Leases Payable	 Amount
Lease #6 - The County has entered into a capital lease agreement with South State Bank of South Carolina, to acquire equipment, bearing interest	
at 2.791% with annual payments of \$833,292, maturing 2022.	\$ 833,292

NOTE 6. LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS (CONTINUED)

Primary Government (Continued)

Equipment Under Capitalized Leases

The County has entered into the above lease agreements for leasing vehicles, equipment, golf course, and the civic center. The cost of these assets is \$2,424,716 with accumulated depreciation of \$595,340 for a net value of \$1,829,376. Depreciation expense was \$313,285 for the current year. The lease on the vehicles and equipment is payable from the general fund while the civic center and golf course leases are payable from the County's debt service fund.

The remaining lease payments as of June 30, 2021, are as follows:

Year Ending	Capital Leases									
June 30,	Р	rincipal	I	nterest		Total				
2022	\$	833,292	\$	23,258	\$	856,550				
	\$	833,292	\$	23,258	\$	856,550				

The interest paid on the capital lease obligations for the year ended June 30, 2021, was approximately \$39,826.

Landfill Closure and Post-Closure Care Costs

State and federal laws and regulations require the County to place a final cover on its landfill sites when each site stops accepting waste and to perform certain maintenance and monitoring functions at the sites for 20 years after closure. Although closure and post-closure care costs will be paid only near or after the date that the landfill stops accepting waste, the County reports a portion of these closure and post-closure care costs as an operating expense in each period based on landfill capacity used as of each balance sheet date.

NOTE 6. LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS (CONTINUED)

Primary Government (Continued)

Landfill Closure and Post Closure Care Costs (Continued)

The \$583,878 reported as an accrual for landfill closure and post-closure care costs at June 30, 2021, includes the cumulative amount reported less amounts paid to date for the open site based on the following information.

		Es					
Estimated Remaining Landfill Life	Percentage Balance of Capacity Used	Closure	D	ost-closure		Total	emaining to be
LITE	USEU	 Ciosure		JSI-CIUSUIE		TOLAT	 ecognized
11.5 years	75%	\$ 680,520	\$	116,568	\$	797,088	\$ 213,210

These amounts are based on what it would cost to perform all closure and post-closure care in fiscal year 2021. Actual cost may be higher due to inflation, changes in technology, or changes in regulations. The Council has restricted cash of \$583,878 for payment of closure and post-closure care costs.

Discretely Presented Component Units

Fire and rescue general obligation bonds payable at June 30, 2021, consist of the following:

General Obligation Bonds	 Amount
\$6,445,000 Fire Protection Service General Obligation Bonds, Series 2012, 0.4% to 2.26% annual interest, annual principal and interest payments beginning in 2013, matures 2026.	\$ 2,480,000
\$6,000,000 Fire Protection Service General Obligation Bonds, Series 2018, 3.0% annual interest, annual principal and interest payments beginning in 2020, matures 2029.	4,935,000
mataros 2020.	\$ 7,415,000

NOTE 6. LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS (CONTINUED)

Primary Government (Continued)

Discretely Presented Component Units (Continued)

Future debt service requirements for fire and rescue general obligation bonds outstanding at June 30, 2021, are as follows:

Year Ending	General Obligation Bonds							
June 30,	Principal			Interest		Total		
2022	\$	1,030,000	\$	206,220	\$	1,236,220		
2023		1,055,000		179,595		1,234,595		
2024		1,085,000		151,825		1,236,825		
2025		1,110,000		122,493		1,232,493		
2026		1,145,000		91,700		1,236,700		
2027 – 2029		1,990,000		120,450		2,110,450		
	\$	7,415,000	\$	872,283	\$	8,287,283		

Capital Leases Payable	 mount
\$3,036,957 lease payable for radios at an interest rate of 2.32% with annual payments of \$343,779 beginning in fiscal year 2015.	
	\$ 985,331

Equipment Under Capitalized Lease

The fire and rescue has entered into the above lease agreement for Motorola radios. The cost of these assets is \$3,422,784 with accumulated depreciation of \$1,346,608 with a net value of \$2,076,176. Depreciation expense was \$171,139 for the year. The lease on the radios is payable from the fire and rescue debt service fund. The remaining lease payments as of June 30, 2021, are as follows:

Year Ending	Capital Leases						
June 30,	Principal			Interest	Total		
2022	\$	320,921	\$	22,858	\$	343,779	
2023		328,366		15,413		343,779	
2024		336,044		7,724		343,768	
	\$	985,331	\$	45,995	\$	1,031,326	

NOTE 7. POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS OTHER THAN PENSIONS

Plan Administration and Benefits

The County, as authorized by the County Commission, administers a single-employer defined benefit healthcare plan (the "Retiree Health Plan"). The Retiree Health Plan provides lifetime healthcare insurance for eligible retirees and their spouses through the County's group health insurance plan, which covers both active and retired members. Benefit provisions are established by the County Council. Retiree medical coverage levels for retirees and their families are the same as coverage provided to active County employees in accordance with the terms and conditions of the current State Health Insurance Plan. The cost assistance provided by the County is calculated based on 50% of the cost of the single plan under which the employee is covered for healthcare added to 50% of the cost of the single plan for dental coverage. The employees pay the remaining 50% plus any additional coverage for spouse or children and a \$3.00 administrative charge. Retirees not meeting the condition stated above must pay 100% of the total premium plus the \$3.00 administrative charge.

Even the provided benefits shown above are only "promised" on an annual basis and are not guaranteed beyond the annual appropriation and sufficiency of the annual appropriation to cover 50% of the cost. There are no "opt-out" benefits paid under any conditions nor are employees grated and sick-leave "pay-out" credit toward health insurance costs.

An employee who retires with 20 years of full-time employment, but is not age 62 at retirement may continue under the County's benefit program paying 100% of the plan costs until reaching the age of 62 at which time, he or she will be eligible for the 50% cost assistance for the employee.

No assets are accumulated in a trust that meets the criteria in paragraph 4 of GASB Statement No. 75 and a separate report was not issued for the PHCB Plan.

Plan Membership

Membership of the Retiree Health Plan consisted of the following at June 30, 2019, the date of the latest actuarial valuation:

Active participants	365
Retirees and beneficiaries currently receiving benefits	25
Total plan members	390

NOTE 7. POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS OTHER THAN PENSIONS (CONTINUED)

Contributions

Contribution requirements are established annually by the County Council. The required contribution is based on projected "pay as you go" financing requirements. For the year ended June 30, 2021, the County contributed \$41,981 for the pay as you go benefits for the Retiree Health Plan.

Total OPEB Liability of the County

Effective July 1, 2017, the County implemented the provisions of GASB Statement No. 75, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Post-employment Benefits Other Than Pensions, which significantly changed the County's accounting for OPEB amounts. The information disclosed below is presented in accordance with this new standard.

The County's total OPEB liability was measured as of June 30, 2020 and was determined by an actuarial valuation as of June 30, 2019, with the actuary using standard techniques to roll forward the liability to the measurement date.

Actuarial assumptions. The total OPEB liability in the June 30, 2019, actuarial valuation was determined using the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all periods included in the measurement:

Discount rate: 2.45% as of June 30,2020

Healthcare cost trend rate: Initial rate of 6.40% declining to an ultimate rate of 4.00% after

15 years.

Ultimate trend rate includes a 0.15% adjustment for the excise tax.

Inflation rate: 2.25%

Salary increase: 3.50% to 9.50% for PORS and 3.00% to 7.00% for SCRS, including

inflation.

Participation rate: 70% if retiree has at least 20 years of service and is at least

60 years old at retirement.

35% if retiree has at least 20 years of service and is at least

60 years old at retirement.

20% for retirees that have fewer than 20 years of service.

Mortality rates were based on the 2016 Public Retirees of South Carolina Mortality Table for males or females, as appropriate, with adjustments for mortality improvements based on Scale AA.

The actuarial assumptions used in the June 30, 2020, valuation was based on the results of an actuarial experience study for the period 2011 - 2015.

NOTE 7. POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS OTHER THAN PENSIONS (CONTINUED)

Discount rate

The discount rate used to measure the total OPEB liability was 2.45%. This rate was determined using an index rate of 20-year, tax-exempt general obligation municipal bonds with an average rating of AA or higher – which was 3.62% as determined by the Bond Buyer 20-Bond GO Index Rate as of June 30, 2021. The discount rate changed from 3.13% as of June 30, 2019 to 2.45% as of June 30, 2020.

Changes in the Total OPEB Liability of the County

The changes in the total OPEB liability of the County, and respective component units, for the year ended June 30, 2021, were as follows:

	Total OPEB Liability					
		Primary	Fire & Rescue		Memorial	
	Government			Commission		Library
Beginning Balance	\$	3,553,380	\$	648,603	\$	430,987
Changes for the year:						
Service cost		273,464		49,915		33,158
Interest		114,920		20,976		13,934
Difference between expected						
actual experience		1,434		262		174
Effect of assumption changes		454,267		82,916		55,115
Benefit payments		(37,269)		(6,803)		(4,519)
Net changes		806,816		147,266		97,862
Ending Balance	\$	4,360,196	\$	795,869	\$	528,849

The required schedule of changes in the County's total OPEB liability and related ratios immediately following the notes to the financial statements presents multi-year trend information about the total OPEB liability.

NOTE 7. POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS OTHER THAN PENSIONS (CONTINUED)

Sensitivity of the total OPEB liability to changes in the discount rate

The following presents the total OPEB liability of the County, and the respective component units, as well as what the County's, and respective component unit's total OPEB liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1-percentage-point lower (1.45%) or 1-percentage-point higher (3.45%) than the current discount rate:

Sensitivity of the Total OPEB Liability to Changes in the Discount Rate

	1% Decrease (1.45%)		Dis	Current scount Rate (2.45%)	19	1% Increase (3.45%)	
Primary Government Component Units	\$	5,293,260	\$	4,360,196	\$	3,631,055	
Fire and Rescue Commission Memorial Library		966,175 641,816		795,869 528,849		662,774 440,271	

Sensitivity of the total OPEB liability to changes in the healthcare cost trend rates

The following presents the total OPEB liability of the County, and respective component units, as well as what the County's and component unit's total OPEB liability would be if it were calculated using healthcare cost trend rates that are 1-percentage-point lower or 1-percentage-point higher than the current healthcare cost trend rates:

Sensitivity of the Total OPEB Liability to Changes in the Healthcare Cost Trend Rates

	Current Healthcare Cost Trend					
	1%	6 Decrease	Assu	ımption Rate	19	% Increase
Primary Government Component Units	\$	3,391,800	\$	4,360,196	\$	5,683,653
Fire and Rescue Commission Memorial Library		619,103 411,261		795,869 528,849		1,037,433 689,152

NOTE 7. POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS OTHER THAN PENSIONS (CONTINUED)

Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to OPEB

At June 30, 2021, the County reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to OPEB from the following sources:

	_	eferred Outflows	Deferred Inflows		
	of I	Resources	of	Resources	
Difference between expected and actual experience	\$	1,279	\$	152,532	
Assumption changes		594,599		213,376	
Employer contributions subsequent to the measurement date		24,496		-	
Total	\$	620,374	\$	365,908	

County contributions subsequent to the measurement date of \$24,496, for the Retiree Health Plan are deferred outflows of resources and will be recognized as a reduction of the total OPEB liability in the year ending June 30, 2022.

Amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources for the County related to OPEB will be recognized in OPEB expense as follows:

Year ending June 30,	
2022	\$ 14,334
2023	14,334
2024	14,334
2025	14,334
2026	14,334
Thereafter	 158,300
Total	\$ 229,970

NOTE 7. POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS OTHER THAN PENSIONS (CONTINUED)

Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to OPEB (Continued)

At June 30, 2021, the Fire and Rescue Commission reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to OPEB from the following sources:

		eferred Outflows	Deferred Inflows			
	of F	Resources	of Resources			
Difference between expected and actual experience	\$	233	\$	27,842		
Assumption changes		108,533		38,947		
Employer contributions subsequent to the measurement date		4,471		_		
Total	\$	113,237	\$	66,789		

Fire and Rescue Commission contributions subsequent to the measurement date of \$4,471, for the Retiree Health Plan are deferred outflows of resources and will be recognized as a reduction of the total OPEB liability in the year ending June 30, 2022.

Amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources for the Fire and Rescue Commission related to OPEB will be recognized in OPEB expense as follows:

Year ending June 30,	
2022	\$ 2,616
2023	2,616
2024	2,616
2025	2,616
2026	2,616
Thereafter	 28,897
Total	\$ 41,977

NOTE 7. POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS OTHER THAN PENSIONS (CONTINUED)

Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to OPEB (Continued)

At June 30, 2021, the Memorial Library reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to OPEB from the following sources:

	_	eferred utflows	Deferred Inflows		
	of R	Resources	of Resources		
Difference between expected and actual experience	\$	155	\$	18,495	
Assumption changes		72,120		25,886	
Employer contributions subsequent to the measurement date		2,970			
Total	\$	75,245	\$	44,381	

Memorial Library contributions subsequent to the measurement date of \$2,970, for the Retiree Health Plan are deferred outflows of resources and will be recognized as a reduction of the total OPEB liability in the year ending June 30, 2022.

Amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources for the Memorial Library related to OPEB will be recognized in OPEB expense as follows:

Year ending June 30,	
2022	\$ 1,738
2023	1,738
2024	1,738
2025	1,738
2026	1,738
Thereafter	 19,204
Total	\$ 27,894

NOTE 7. POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS OTHER THAN PENSIONS (CONTINUED)

OPEB Expense

For the year ended June 30, 2021, the County, Fire and Rescue Commission, and the Memorial Library recognized OPEB expense of \$353,353; \$64,497; and \$42,845, respectively.

OPEB expense for the Retiree Health Plan is calculated as follows:

		Primary	Fire	& Rescue	ľ	Memorial
Description		vernment	Coi	mmission		Library
Service cost	\$	273,464	\$	49,915	\$	33,158
Interest on the total OPEB liability		114,920		20,976		13,934
Recognition of deferred outflows/inflows of resources						
due to liabilities		5,422		990		658
Amortization of prior year deferred outflows/inflows						
of resources due to liabilities		(40,453)		(7,384)		(4,905)
Total employer OPEB expense	\$	353,353	\$	64,497	\$	42,845

NOTE 8. RETIREMENT PLAN

Description of the Entity

The South Carolina Public Employee Benefit Authority ("PEBA"), created July 1, 2012, is the state agency responsible for the administration and management of the various retirement systems and retirement programs of the state of South Carolina, including the State Optional Retirement Program and the S.C. Deferred Compensation Program, as well as the state's employee insurance programs. As such, PEBA is responsible for administering the South Carolina Retirement Systems' ("Systems") five defined benefit pension plans. PEBA has an 11-member Board of Directors, appointed by the Governor and General Assembly leadership, which serves as custodian, cotrustee and co-fiduciary of the Systems and the assets of the retirement trust funds. The Retirement System Investment Commission (Commission as the governing body, RSIC as the agency), created by the General Assembly in 2005, has exclusive authority to invest and manage the retirement trust funds' assets. The Commission, an eight-member board, serves as co-trustee and co-fiduciary for the assets of the retirement trust funds. By law, the State Fiscal Accountability Authority ("SFAA"), which consists of five elected officials, also reviews certain PEBA Board decisions regarding the actuary of the Systems.

NOTE 8. RETIREMENT PLAN (CONTINUED)

Description of the Entity (Continued)

For purposes of measuring the net pension liability, deferred outflows and inflows of resources related to pensions, and pension expense, information about the fiduciary net position of the Systems and additions to/deductions from the Systems fiduciary net position have been determined on the accrual basis of accounting as they are reported by the Systems in accordance with GAAP. For this purpose, revenues are recognized when earned and expenses are recognized when incurred. Benefit and refund expenses are recognized when due and payable in accordance with the terms of the plan. Investments are reported at fair value.

PEBA – Insurance Benefits issues audited financial statements and required supplementary information for the OPEB Trust Funds. This information is publicly available through the PEBA – Insurance Benefits' link on PEBA's website at www.peba.sc.gov or a copy may be obtained by submitting a request to PEBA – Insurance Benefits, 202 Arbor Lake Drive, Columbia, SC 29223. PEBA is considered a division of the primary government of the state of South Carolina and, therefore, OPEB Trust fund financial information is also included in the annual comprehensive financial report of the state.

Plan Description

The County contributes to the South Carolina Retirement System ("SCRS"), a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan that was established effective July 1, 1945, pursuant to the provisions of Section 9-1-20 of the South Carolina Code of Laws for the purpose of providing retirement allowances and other benefits for employees of the state, its public school districts and political subdivisions.

In addition to the SCRS pension plan, the County also contributes to the PORS, a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan that was established effective July 1, 1962, pursuant to the provisions of Section 9-11-20 of the South Carolina Code of Laws for the purpose of providing retirement allowances and other benefits for police officers and firemen of the state and its political subdivisions.

NOTE 8. RETIREMENT PLAN (CONTINUED)

Membership

Membership requirements are prescribed in Title 9 of the South Carolina Code of Laws. A brief summary of the requirements under each system is described below.

South Carolina Retirement System ("SCRS") – Generally, all employees of covered employers are required to participate in and contribute to the SCRS as a condition of employment. This plan covers general employees, teachers and individuals newly elected to the South Carolina General Assembly beginning with the November 2012 general election. An employee member of the SCRS with an effective date of membership prior to July 1, 2012, is a Class Two member. An employee member of the SCRS with an effective date of membership on or after July 1, 2012, is a Class Three member.

South Carolina Police Officers' Retirement System ("PORS") – To be eligible for PORS membership, an employee must be required by the terms of his employment, by election or appointment, to preserve public order, protect life and property, and detect crimes in the state; to prevent and control property destruction by fire; or to serve as a peace officer employed by the Department of Corrections, the Department of Juvenile Justice, or the Department of Mental Health. Probate judges and coroners may elect membership in PORS. Magistrates are required to participate in PORS for service as a magistrate. PORS members, other than magistrates and probate judges, must also earn at least \$2,000 per year and devote at least 1,600 hours per year to this work, unless exempted by statute. An employee member of the system with an effective date of membership prior to July 1, 2012, is a Class Two member. An employee member of the system with an effective date of membership on or after July 1, 2012, is a Class Three member.

Benefits

Benefit terms are prescribed in Title 9 of the South Carolina Code of Laws. PEBA does not have the authority to establish or amend benefit terms without a legislative change in the code of laws. Key elements of the benefit calculation include the benefit multiplier, years of service, and average final compensation. A brief summary of benefit terms for each system is presented below.

South Carolina Retirement System ("SCRS") – A Class Two member who has separated from service with at least five or more years of earned service is eligible for a monthly pension at age 65 or with 28 years credited service regardless of age. A member may elect early retirement with reduced pension benefits payable at age 55 with 25 years of service credit. A Class Three member who has separated from service with at least eight or more years of earned service is eligible for a monthly pension upon satisfying the Rule of 90 requirement that the total of the member's age and the member's creditable service equals at least 90 years. Both Class Two and Class Three members are eligible to receive a reduced deferred annuity at age 60 if they satisfy the five- or eight-year earned service requirement, respectively. An incidental death benefit is also available to beneficiaries of active and retired members of employers who participate in the death benefit program.

NOTE 8. RETIREMENT PLAN (CONTINUED)

Benefits (Continued)

South Carolina Retirement System ("SCRS") (Continued)

The annual retirement allowance of eligible retirees or their surviving annuitants is increased by the lesser of 1% or \$500 every July 1. Only those annuitants in receipt of a benefit on July 1 of the preceding year are eligible to receive the increase. Members who retire under the early retirement provisions at age 55 with 25 years of service are not eligible for the benefit adjustment until the second July 1 after reaching age 60 or the second July 1 after the date they would have had 28 years of service credit had they not retired.

South Carolina Police Officers' Retirement System ("PORS") – A Class Two member who has separated from service with at least five or more years of earned service is eligible for a monthly pension at age 55 or with 25 years of service regardless of age. A Class Three member who has separated from service with at least eight or more years of earned service is eligible for a monthly pension at age 55 or with 27 years of service regardless of age. Both Class Two and Class Three members are eligible to receive a deferred annuity at age 55 with five or eight years of earned service, respectively. An incidental death benefit is also available to beneficiaries of active and retired members of employers who participate in the death benefit program. Accidental death benefits are also provided upon the death of an active member working for a covered employer whose death was a natural and proximate result of an injury incurred while in the performance of duty.

The retirement allowance of eligible retirees or their surviving annuitants is increased by the lesser of 1% or \$500 every July 1. Only those annuitants in receipt of a benefit on July 1 of the preceding year are eligible to receive the increase.

NOTE 8. RETIREMENT PLAN (CONTINUED)

Contributions

Actuarial valuations are performed annually by an external consulting actuary to ensure applicable contribution rates satisfy the funding parameters specified in Title 9 of the South Carolina Code of Laws. Under these provisions, SCRS and PORS contribution requirements must be sufficient to maintain an amortization period for the financing of the unfunded actuarial accrued liability ("UAAL") over a period that does not exceed the number of years scheduled in state statute. Legislation in 2017 increased, but also established a ceiling for SCRS and PORS employee contribution rates. Effective July 1, 2017, employee rates were increased to a capped rate of 9.00% for SCRS and 9.75% for PORS. The legislation also increased employer contribution rates beginning July 1, 2017 for both SCRS and PORS by two percentage points and further scheduled employer contribution rates to increase by a minimum of one percentage point each year through July 1, 2022. If the scheduled contributions are not sufficient to meet the funding periods set in state statute, the board shall increase the employer contribution rates as necessary to meet the funding periods set for the applicable year. The maximum funding period of SCRS and PORS is scheduled to be reduced over a ten-year schedule from 30 years beginning fiscal year 2018 to 20 years by fiscal year 2028.

Additionally, the Board is prohibited from decreasing the SCRS and PORS contribution rates until the funded ratio is at least 85%. If the most recent annual actuarial valuation of the Systems for funding purposes shows a ratio of the actuarial value of system assets to the actuarial accrued liability of the System (the funded ratio) that is equal to or greater than 85%, then the Board, effective on the following July 1st, may decrease the then current contribution rates upon making a finding that the decrease will not result in a funded ratio of less than 85%.

If contribution rates are decreased pursuant to this provision, and the most recent annual actuarial valuation of the System shows a funded ratio of less than 85%, then effective on the following July 1st, and annually thereafter as necessary, the Board shall increase the then current contribution rates until a subsequent annual actuarial valuation of the System shows a funded ratio that is equal to or greater than 85%.

Required employee contribution rates for the year ended June 30, 2021, are as follows:

South Carolina Retirement System

Employee Class Two 9.00% of earnable compensation Employee Class Three 9.00% of earnable compensation

South Carolina Police Officers' Retirement System

Employee Class Two 9.75% of earnable compensation Employee Class Three 9.75% of earnable compensation

NOTE 8. RETIREMENT PLAN (CONTINUED)

Contributions (Continued)

Required employer contribution rates for the year ended June 30, 2021, are as follows:

South Carolina Retirement System

Employee Class Two 15.41% of earnable compensation Employee Class Three 15.41% of earnable compensation Employer incidental death benefit 0.15% of earnable compensation

South Carolina Police Officers' Retirement System

Employee Class Two 17.84% of earnable compensation
Employee Class Three 17.84% of earnable compensation
Employer incidental death benefit 0.20% of earnable compensation
Employer accidental death program 0.20% of earnable compensation

Net Pension Liability

The June 30, 2019, total pension liability ("TPL"), net pension liability ("NPL"), and sensitivity information shown in this report were determined by our consulting actuary, Gabriel, Roeder, Smith and Company ("GRS") and are based on an actuarial valuation performed as of July 1, 2019. The total pension liability was rolled-forward from the valuation date to the plans' fiscal year-end, June 30, 2020, using generally accepted actuarial principles. Information included in the following schedules is based on the certification provided by GRS.

The net pension liability is calculated separately for each System and represents that particular System's total pension liability determined in accordance with GASB No. 67, less that System's fiduciary net position. As of June 30, 2021 (measurement date of June 30, 2020), the net pension liability amounts for the County's proportionate share of the collective net pension liabilities associated with the SCRS and PORS plans are as follows:

As of June 30, 2021, the County's net pension liability amounts for SCRS and PORS are as follows:

System	 Total Pension Liability	Plan Fiduciary Positio		Employer's Net Pension Liability	Plan Fiduciary Net Position as a percentage of the Total Pension Liability	County's Proportionate Share of the Collective Net Pension Liability
SCRS	\$ 50,923,733	\$ 25,825	599	\$ 25,098,134	50.7%	0.098225%
PORS	24,799,762	14,578	849	10,220,913	58.8%	0.308210%

NOTE 8. RETIREMENT PLAN (CONTINUED)

Net Pension Liability (Continued)

As of June 30, 2021, the Fire and Rescue Commission's net pension liability amounts for SCRS and PORS are as follows:

System	 Total Pension Liability		Plan Fiduciary Net Position		mployer's t Pension Liability	Plan Fiduciary Net Position as a percentage of the Total Pension Liability	Fire and Rescue Commission's Proportionate Share of the Collective Net Pension Liability
SCRS	\$ 1,381,148	\$	700,438	\$	680,710	50.7%	0.002664%
PORS	32,276,790		18,974,350		13,302,440	58.8%	0.401133%

As of June 30, 2021, the Memorial Library's net pension liability amount for SCRS is as follows:

System	Total Pension Liability	ension Fiduciary Net Net Pension		t Pension	Plan Fiduciary Net Position as a percentage of the Total Pension Liability	Memorial Library's Proportionate Share of the Collective Net Pension Liability	
SCRS	\$ 1,857,779	\$	942,158	\$	915,621	50.7%	0.003583%

Actuarial Assumptions and Methods

Actuarial valuations of the plan involve estimates of the reported amounts and assumptions about the probability of occurrence of events far into the future. Examples include assumptions about future employment, mortality, and future salary increases. Amounts determined regarding the net pension liability are subject to continual revision as actual results are compared with past expectations and new estimates are made about the future. South Carolina state statute requires that an actuarial experience study be completed at least once in each five-year period. An experience report on the Systems was most recently issued for the period ended June 30, 2019 for first use in the July 1, 2021 actuarial valuation.

The June 30, 2020, total pension liability, net pension liability, and sensitivity information shown in this report were determined by our consulting actuary, Gabriel, Roeder, Smith and Company ("GRS") and are based on an actuarial valuation performed as of July 1, 2019. The total pension liability was rolled-forward from the valuation date to the plans' fiscal year end, June 30, 2020, using generally accepted actuarial principles.

NOTE 8. RETIREMENT PLAN (CONTINUED)

Actuarial Assumptions and Methods (Continued)

The following provides a summary of the actuarial assumptions and methods used in the July 1, 2020, valuations for SCRS and PORS.

	SCRS	PORS			
Actuarial cost method	Entry Age	Entry Age			
Actuarial assumptions:					
Investment rate of return	7.25%	7.25%			
Projected salary increases	3.0% to 12.5% (varies by service)	3.5% to 9.5% (varies by service)			
Inflation rate	2.25%	2.25%			
Benefit adjustments	lesser of 1% or \$500 annually	lesser of 1% or \$500 annually			

The post-retiree mortality assumption is dependent upon the member's job category and gender. The base mortality assumption, the 2016 Public Retirees of South Carolina Mortality table (the "2016 PRSC"), was developed using the Systems' mortality experience. These base rates are adjusted for future improvement in mortality using published Scale AA projected from the year 2016.

Former Job Class	Males	Females		
General Employees and Members of the General Assembly Public Safety and Firefighters	2016 PRSC Males multiplied by 100% 2016 PRSC Males multiplied	2016 PRSC Males multiplied by 111% 2016 PRSC Males multiplied		
	by 125%	by 111%		

The long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments is based upon 20-year capital market assumptions. The long-term expected rates of return represent assumptions developed using an arithmetic building block approach primarily based on consensus expectations and market-based inputs. Expected returns are net of investment fees.

NOTE 8. RETIREMENT PLAN (CONTINUED)

Actuarial Assumptions and Methods (Continued)

The expected returns, along with the expected inflation rate, form the basis for the target asset allocation adopted at the beginning of the 2020 fiscal year. The long-term expected rate of return is produced by weighting the expected future real rates of return by the target allocation percentage and adding expected inflation and is summarized in the table below. For actuarial purposes, the 7.25% assumed annual investment rate of return used in the calculation of the TPL includes a 5.00% real rate of return and a 2.25% inflation component.

		Expected	Long-Term
	Target Asset	Arithmetic Real	Expected Portfolio
Asset Class	Allocation	Rate of Return	Real Rate of Return
Global Equity	51.0%		
Global Public Equity	35.0%	7.81%	2.73%
Private Equity	9.0%	8.91%	0.80%
Equity Options Strategies	7.0%	5.09%	0.36%
Real Assets	12.0%		
Real Estate (Private)	8.0%	5.55%	0.44%
Real Estate (REITs)	1.0%	7.78%	0.08%
Infrastructure	2.0%	4.88%	0.10%
Infrastructure	1.0%	7.05%	0.07%
Opportunistic	8.0%		
GTAA/Risk Parity	7.0%	3.56%	0.25%
Hedge Funds (non-PA)	1.0%	4.41%	0.04%
Diversified Credit	15.0%		
Mixed Credit	4.0%	4.21%	0.17%
Emerging Markets Debt	4.0%	3.44%	0.14%
Private Debt	7.0%	5.79%	0.40%
Conservative Fixed Income	14.0%		
Core Fixed Income	13.0%	1.60%	0.21%
Cash and Short Duration (Net)	1.0%	0.56%	0.01%
,	100.0%		
	Total expected re	5.80%	
	Inflation for actua	2.25%	
	Total expected no	ominal return	8.05%

NOTE 8. RETIREMENT PLAN (CONTINUED)

Discount Rate

The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was 7.25%. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed that contributions from participating employers in SCRS and PORS will be made based on the actuarially determined rates based on provisions in the South Carolina State Code of Laws. Based on those assumptions, the County's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make all projected future benefit payments of current plan members. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was applied to all periods of projected benefit payments to determine the total pension liability.

The following table presents the sensitivity of the net pension liability to changes in the discount rate for the County and the respective component units.

Sensitivity of the Net Position Liability to Changes in the Discount Rate

	1% Decrease (6.25%)		Di:	Current scount Rate (7.25%)	1% Increase (8.25%)	
Primary Government						
SCRS	\$	31,106,038	\$	25,098,134	\$	20,081,430
PORS		13,530,726		10,220,913		7,563,289
Component Units Fire and Rescue Commission						
SCRS		843,655		680,710		544,646
PORS		ŕ		•		
runs		17,610,186		13,302,440		9,843,590
Memorial Library						
SCRS		1,134,798		915,621		732,603

NOTE 8. RETIREMENT PLAN (CONTINUED)

Pension Expense

For the year ended June 30, 2021, pension expense was recognized as follows:

Primary Government	SCRS		 PORS
Proportionate share of aggregate plan pension expense Deferred amounts from changes in proportion and differences between employer contributions and proportionate	\$	2,808,230	\$ 1,472,289
share on plan contributions		346,401	 129,742
Employer pension expense	\$	3,154,631	\$ 1,602,031
Fire and Rescue Commission		SCRS	 PORS
Proportionate share of aggregate plan pension expense Deferred amounts from changes in proportion and differences between employer contributions and proportionate	\$	76,164	\$ 1,916,178
share on plan contributions		9,395	 168,858
Employer pension expense	\$	85,559	\$ 2,085,036
Memorial Library		SCRS	
Proportionate share of aggregate plan pension expense Deferred amounts from changes in proportion and differences between employer contributions and proportionate	\$	102,449	
share on plan contributions		12,637	
Employer pension expense	\$	115,086	

NOTE 8. RETIREMENT PLAN (CONTINUED)

Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to Pensions

At June 30, 2021, the County reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to the SCRS and PORS pensions plans, respectively, from the following sources:

	Deferred Outflows		Deferred Inflows		
SCRS	of	of Resources of I		Resources	
Differences between expected and actual experience	\$	289,599	\$	94,907	
Net difference between projected and actual					
earnings on pension plan investments		1,846,180		-	
Assumption changes		30,749		-	
Changes in proportion and differences between					
employer contributions and proportionate share of					
contributions		827,779		304,732	
Employer contributions subsequent to the measurement					
date		1,678,099			
Total	\$	4,672,406	\$	399,639	

	Deferred Outflows		Deferred Inflows	
PORS	of	Resources	s of Resourc	
Differences between expected and actual experience	\$	217,215	\$	44,990
Net difference between projected and actual				
earnings on pension plan investments		1,046,595		-
Assumption changes		124,728		-
Changes in proportion and differences between				
employer contributions and proportionate share of				
contributions		256,181		-
Employer contributions subsequent to the measurement				
date		846,418		<u>-</u>
Total	\$	2,491,137	\$	44,990

NOTE 8. RETIREMENT PLAN (CONTINUED)

Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to Pensions (Continued)

County contributions subsequent to the measurement date of \$1,678,099 and \$846,418, for the SCRS plan and the PORS plan, respectively, and changes in proportion and differences between employer contributions and proportionate share of contributions are deferred outflows/inflows of resources and will be recognized as a reduction of the net pension liability in the year ending June 30, 2022. Other amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions will be recognized in pension expense as follows:

Year ending June 30,	 SCRS		
2022	\$ 445,853	\$	548,462
2023	892,184		414,178
2024	785,528		364,208
2025	 471,103		272,881
Total	\$ 2,594,668	\$	1,599,729

At June 30, 2021, the Fire and Rescue Commission reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to the SCRS and PORS pension plans, respectively, from the following sources:

	Deferred Outflows			ferred flows	
SCRS	of R	esources	of Resource		
Differences between expected and actual experience	\$	7,854	\$	2,574	
Net difference between projected and actual					
earnings on pension plan investments		50,072		-	
Assumption changes		834		-	
Changes in proportion and differences between					
employer contributions and proportionate share of					
contributions		22,451		8,265	
Employer contributions subsequent to the measurement					
date		45,513			
Total	\$	126,724	\$	10,839	

NOTE 8. RETIREMENT PLAN (CONTINUED)

Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to Pensions (Continued)

	Deferred Outflows		Deferred Inflows	
PORS	of	Resources	of R	Resources
Differences between expected and actual experience	\$	282,704	\$	58,554
Net difference between projected and actual				
earnings on pension plan investments		1,362,140		-
Assumption changes		162,334		-
Changes in proportion and differences between				
employer contributions and proportionate share of				
contributions		333,418		-
Employer contributions subsequent to the measurement				
date		1,101,610		
Total	\$	3,242,206	\$	58,554

The Fire and Rescue Commission contributions subsequent to the measurement date of \$45,513 and \$1,101,610, for the SCRS plan and the PORS plan, respectively, and changes in proportion and differences between employer contributions and proportionate share of contributions are deferred outflows/inflows of resources and will be recognized as a reduction of the net pension liability in the year ending June 30, 2022. Other amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions will be recognized in pension expense as follows:

Year ending June 30,		PORS		
2022	\$	12,092	\$	713,821
2023		24,198		539,051
2024		21,305		474,015
2025		12,777		355,155
Total	\$	70,372	\$	2,082,042

NOTE 8. RETIREMENT PLAN (CONTINUED)

Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to Pensions (Continued)

At June 30, 2021, the Memorial Library reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to the SCRS pension plan from the following sources:

	Deferred Outflows		Deferred Inflows		
SCRS	of F	Resources	of Resources		
Differences between expected and actual experience	\$	10,565	\$	3,462	
Net difference between projected and actual					
earnings on pension plan investments		67,352		-	
Assumption changes		1,122		-	
Changes in proportion and differences between					
employer contributions and proportionate share of					
contributions		30,199		11,118	
Employer contributions subsequent to the measurement					
date		61,219			
Total	\$	170,457	\$	14,580	

The Memorial Library contributions subsequent to the measurement date of \$61,219 for the SCRS plan and changes in proportion and differences between employer contributions and proportionate share of contributions are deferred outflows/inflows of resources and will be recognized as a reduction of the net pension liability in the year ending June 30, 2022. Other amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions will be recognized in pension expense as follows:

Year ending June 30,		SCRS		
2022	\$	16,265		
2023		32,548		
2024		28,657		
2025		17,188		
Total	<u>\$</u>	94,658		

NOTE 8. RETIREMENT PLAN (CONTINUED)

Pension Plan Fiduciary Net Position

Detailed information regarding the fiduciary net position of the plans administered by PEBA is available in the separately issued ACFR containing financial statements and required supplementary information for SCRS and PORS. The ACFR of the Pension Trust Funds is publicly available on PEBA's Retirement Benefits' website at www.retirement.sc.gov, or a copy may be obtained by submitting a request to PEBA, PO Box 11960, Columbia, South Carolina 29211-1960.

NOTE 9. OTHER INFORMATION

Deferred Compensation Plans

Internal Revenue Code Section 457 Plan

The County offers its employees a deferred compensation plan, offered through the State of South Carolina, created in accordance with Internal Revenue Code Section 457. The plan, available to all regular full-time employees, permits participants to defer a portion of their salaries until future years. The deferred compensation is not available to the employee or his/her beneficiaries until termination, retirement, death, disability, or an approved hardship.

All amounts of compensation deferred under the plan are held in trust for the contributing employee and are not subject to claims of the County's general creditors. The plan is administered by the State of South Carolina.

Internal Revenue Code Section 401(k) Plan

The County also offers its participation in a deferred compensation plan, offered through the State of South Carolina, created in accordance with internal Revenue Code Section 401(k). The 401(k) plan has the same eligibility requirements as the 457 plan, although the withdrawal provisions are more lenient under the 401(k) plan. All amounts of compensation deferred under the plan are held in trust for the contributing employee and are not subject to claims of the County's general creditors. The funds are administered by the State of South Carolina.

NOTE 9. OTHER INFORMATION (CONTINUED)

Risk Management

The County and its component units are exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; and natural disasters, for which the County carries commercial insurance, and policies with the South Carolina Insurance Reserve Fund, a public entity risk pool currently operating as a common risk management and insurance program for local governments. The County and its component units are covered under the same risk management umbrella and pay a pro-rata share of an annual premium for general insurance coverage. The County pays annual premiums to the State Insurance Reserve Fund for certain general insurance coverage. The State Insurance Reserve Fund is self-sustaining through member premiums and reinsures through commercial companies for certain claims.

Contingent Liabilities

Grants

Amounts received or receivable from grantor agencies in previous years are subject to audit and adjustment by grantor agencies. Any disallowed claims, including amounts already collected, could become a liability of the general fund or other applicable funds. The amount, if any, of expenditures that may be disallowed by the grantor cannot be determined at this time, although the government expects such amounts, if any, to be immaterial.

Litigation

The County is party to various legal proceedings which normally occur in governmental operations. These lawsuits involve environmental issues, alleged failure to appropriate proper budgets, employment matters, and certain claims under contractual agreements. In the opinion of County management, based on the advice of legal counsel with respect to litigation, the ultimate disposition of these lawsuits and claims will not have a material adverse effect on the County's financial position. Additionally, the County would be allowed to appropriate any required funds in a subsequent year.

NOTE 9. OTHER INFORMATION (CONTINUED)

Commitments

Construction Commitments

On June 30, 2021, the County has commitments under contracts for various architectural and engineering services and construction projects not completed of approximately \$140,981 that relate to the capital penny sales tax project approved by voter referendum.

As discussed earlier in Note 1, budgetary basis of accounting, the encumbrances and related appropriation lapse at the end of the year, but are re-appropriated and become part of the subsequent year's budget because performance under the executory contract is expected in the next year.

Encumbrances

As discussed in Note 1, budgetary basis of accounting, encumbrance accounting is utilized to the extent necessary to assure effective budgetary control and accountability and to facilitate effective cash planning and control. At year-end, the amount of encumbrances expected to be honored upon performance by the vendor in the next year were as follows:

Governmental Fund	 Amount
General Fund	\$ 90,026
Capital Projects Fund	3,978,799
Special Revenue Fund	 772,979
Total	\$ 4,841,804

Operating Leases

The County participates in certain leases accounted for as operating leases. Future minimum rental payments required over the next five years under the non-cancellable operating leases having a remaining term in excess of one year at June 30, 2021, are as follows:

Year Ending June 30,	Total
2022	\$ 832,036
2023	731,513
2024	688,164
2025	361,355
2026	100,764
Total Payments	\$ 2,713,832

NOTE 9. OTHER INFORMATION (CONTINUED)

Commitments (Continued)

Operating Leases (Continued)

On May 12, 2017, Colleton County Intermodal Corporation, a non-profit corporation that was created for the purposes of promoting economic development of the County and economic development projects located in or for the benefit of the County issued \$7.61 million Taxable Economic Revenue Bonds for the purposes of acquiring the Hampton and Branchville Railroad so that it can be maintained in service.

The debt service on the Bonds will be primarily payable from the payment of Project Revenues made by Palmetto Railways to the Issuer under the terms of the Loan Agreement. It is not anticipated, however, that the Project Revenues will be sufficient to pay all debt service on the Bonds for the foreseeable future until industrial sites are developed near the project. In the event that Project Revenues are insufficient to make such payments, the Deposit and Reimbursement Agreement provides that the County will provide Reimbursement Payments to pay debt service on the Bonds. The Deposit and Reimbursement Agreement provides that the County will budget for each fiscal year Reimbursement Payments to pay debt service on the Bond for such fiscal year. Notwithstanding the preceding sentence, in adopting its general operating budget, the County Council may, in its sole discretion, determine not to appropriate the Reimbursement Payments through an Event of Non-appropriation.

NOTE 10. NET INVESTMENT IN CAPITAL ASSETS

The following summarizes the amounts included in the calculation for the net investment in capital assets. The County received the bond proceeds of \$30,272,627 in May 2015 and has unspent funds on hand of \$6,191,504. The list of projects includes asset acquisitions as well as assistance to other entities within the County. The Fire and Rescue Commission received proceeds of \$6,100,337 in November 2018 and has unspent funds on hand of \$607,003. The list of projects include asset acquisitions as well as improvements to fire stations. The net investment in capital assets is summarized below:

	G	overnmental Activities		re & Rescue Commission		Memorial Library
Capital assets, net	\$	57,568,095	\$	11,716,500	\$	308,776
Long-term obligations		(19,944,591)		(8,463,983)		-
Bond proceeds on hand		6,191,504		607,003		-
Investment in capital assets	\$	43,815,008	\$	3,859,520	\$	308,776

Component Units

County

NOTE 11. TAX ABATEMENTS

The County negotiates property tax abatement agreements on an individual basis. The County has tax abatement agreements with the following as of June 30, 2021:

Purpose	Percentage of Taxes Abated during the Fiscal Year	Amount of County Taxes Abated during the Fiscal Year	Term of Agreement
Manufacturing facility locates in the area and provides employment opportunities for citizens	78%	\$ 81,165	25 Years
Manufacturing facility locates in the area and provides employment opportunities for citizens	43%	\$ 35,756	25 Years
Provide health care to citizens in the area	48%	\$ 19,694	25 Years
Manufacturing facility locates in the area and provides employment opportunities for citizens	48%	\$ 15,464	25 Years

Industries that invest at least \$2.5 million within a five to six-year investment period in South Carolina may negotiate for a fee-in-lieu of property taxes under the authority of South Carolina Code of Laws Title 12 Chapter 44, Title 4 Chapter 29 and Chapter 12. This can result in a savings of about 40% on property taxes otherwise due for a project. Certain large investments may be able to further reduce their liability by negotiating the assessment ratio from 10.5% down to 6%. For large investments, the assessment ratio can be reduced to 4% and the investment period is extended to an eight-year investment period. The County and the industry may agree to either set the millage rate for the entire agreement period or have the millage change every five years in step with the average millage rate for the area where the project is located. Any personal property subject to the fee in lieu of property taxes depreciates in accordance with South Carolina law, while the real property is either set at cost for the life of the agreement or can be appraised every five years.

NOTE 11. TAX ABATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

If the project would incur costs of designing, acquiring, constructing, improving, or expanding improved or unimproved real estate or personal property to be used in the operation of a manufacturing or commercial enterprise, infrastructure servicing the project or certain aircraft, the industries may negotiate a Special Source Revenue Credit under the authority of South Carolina Code of Laws Section 4-29-68, 4-1-170 and 12-44-70. This can result in additional savings of 15% on property taxes otherwise due for a project and is applied manually as credit to the applicable tax bill.

In each of the agreements disclosed above, the County has provided no additional commitments other than the abatement of taxes which would continue in effect for the term of the agreement as long as the industry complies with investment and job creation that are outlined in each agreement within the investment period of not to exceed five years.

NOTE 12. RESTATEMENT OF PRIOR YEAR NET POSITION AND FUND BALANCE

In fiscal year 2021, the County adopted GASB Statement No. 84, Fiduciary Activities. This statement establishes criteria for identifying fiduciary activities of all state and local governments. The focus of the criteria generally is on: 1) whether a government is controlling the assets of the fiduciary activity, and 2) the beneficiaries with whom a fiduciary relationship exists. An activity meeting the criteria should be reported in a fiduciary fund in the basic financial statements. Governments with activities meeting the criteria should present a statement of fiduciary net position and a statement of changes in fiduciary net position. These changes are in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. The County restated beginning fund balance and net position for the cumulative effect of this accounting change as noted below:

	F	iduciary Funds	Primary Government		
Net position, as previously reported	\$	-	\$	33,137,243	
Change in accounting principle due to the					
implementation of GASB Statement No. 84		958,475		(19,747)	
Net position, as restated	\$	958,475	\$	33,117,496	

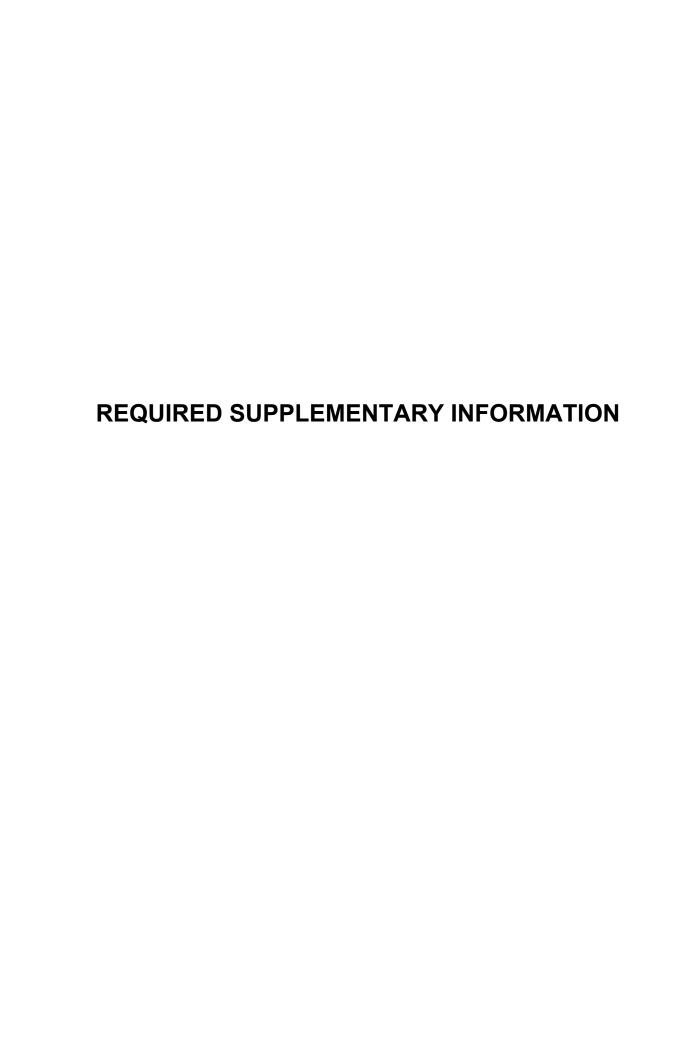
	Governmental Funds			
Fund balance, as previously reported	\$	2,622,636		
Change in accounting principle due to the				
implementation of GASB Statement No. 84		(19,747)		
Fund balance, as restated	\$	2,602,889		

NOTE 13. SUBSEQUENT EVENT

On October 27, 2021, a general obligation bond was issued in the amount of \$578,398 to reimburse the cost of the scheduled debt service on the 2017 Colleton County Intermodal Corporation Revenue Bonds. The bond carries an August 5, 2022 maturity date and pays interest of 1.20%. More information about the 2017 Colleton County Intermodal Corporation Revenue Bonds can be found under Note 9 – Commitments.

On June 29th, 2021, the County received notice from the Guarantor of the Investment Agreement dated June 23, 2015 that is for the 2015 GO Bond proceeds funding the county-wide capital sales tax projects. The Guarantor was downgraded from "A+" to "A" by Standard and Poor's. At the next quarterly redemption date of July 1, 2021, the Guarantor chose to terminate the agreement instead of delivering additional security. Remaining Capital Project Sales Tax funds of \$8,076,613 were received by the County and promptly invested by the County.

On November 19, 2021, the County closed on a \$5.5 million five-year lease financing agreement with South State Bank. South State bank was the selected local lowest cost responder. The proceeds will be used to purchase replacement heavy equipment and trucks in public works, solid waste, and fire rescue. Debt service is paid semi-annually at an interest rate of 1.00% and can be prepaid at the County's option.



REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTTARY INFORMATION SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES BUDGET (GAAP BASIS) AND ACTUAL GENERAL FUND FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

		Doubles 1		4-				Variance													
		Budgeted Original	ı Amo	unts Final		Actual	V	vith Final Budget													
REVENUES		Original				Autuui		Dauget													
Taxes	\$	23,510,098	\$	23,511,258	\$	24,325,353	\$	814,095													
Intergovernmental		1,865,437		1,927,558		2,319,839		392,281													
Fines and fees		6,283,625		6,293,625		6,543,841		250,216													
Other income		1,032,672		1,032,672		313,137		(719,535)													
Total revenues		32,691,832		32,765,113		33,502,170		737,057													
EXPENDITURES																					
Current:																					
General government		10,451,937		10,397,676		9,429,858		967,818													
Judicial		1,452,076		1,452,076		1,327,428		124,648													
Public safety		8,784,504		8,814,410		8,411,186		403,224													
Roads and bridges		2,230,789		2,215,789		1,883,599		332,190													
Solid waste		2,965,042		3,008,569		2,907,097		101,472													
Recreation and culture		1,736,486		1,742,286		1,701,882		40,404													
Health and human services		912,480		914,218		869,653		44,565													
Economic development		279,048		291,299		285,032		6,267													
Intergovernmental		3,850,673		5,202,715		5,205,380		(2,665)													
Capital outlay:																					
General government		29,650		75,445		14,650		60,795													
Solid waste															500		16,843		16,343		500
Total expenditures		32,693,185		34,131,326		32,052,108		2,079,218													
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over (under)																					
expenditures		(1,353)		(1,366,213)		1,450,062		2,816,275													
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)																					
Proceeds from the sale of capital assets		-		-		661		661													
Insurance recoveries		-		-		77,162		77,162													
Transfers in		2,568,488		2,568,488		1,952,728		(615,760)													
Transfers out		(2,884,621)		(2,902,604)		(2,513,203)		389,401													
Total other financing uses, net	_	(316,133)		(334,116)		(482,652)		(148,536)													
Net change in fund balances		(317,486)		(1,700,329)		967,410		2,667,739													
Fund balances, beginning of year		8,960,252		8,960,252	8,960,252			-													
Fund balances, end of year	\$	8,642,766	\$	7,259,923	\$	9,927,662	\$	2,667,739													

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES BUDGET (GAAP BASIS) AND ACTUAL SPECIAL REVENUE FUND FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

	Budget	ed Amounts		Variance with Final
	Original	Final	Actual	Budget
REVENUES				
Intergovernmental	\$ 347,225	\$ 11,649,97	. , ,	\$ (4,948,745)
Other revenues		63,82		(2,301)
Total revenues	347,225	11,713,80	5 6,762,759	(4,951,046)
EXPENDITURES				
General government	-	495,99	2 326,032	169,960
Judicial services	-	1,561,61	1 506,453	1,055,158
Public safety	347,225	852,15	7 566,294	285,863
Roads and bridges	-	1,225,86	6 595,551	630,315
Recreation and culture	-	767,26	0 178,427	588,833
Health and human services	-	2,788,26	1 2,627,860	160,401
Economic development	-	1,983,26	7 25,000	1,958,267
Intergovernmental	-	2,535,82	4 2,201,709	334,115
Capital outlay				
Roads and bridges	-	1,195,57	1 14,311	1,181,260
Recreation and culture		28,52	5 28,525	
Total expenditures	347,225	13,434,33	7,070,162	6,364,172
Deficiency of revenues				
under expenditures		(1,720,52	9) (307,403)	1,413,126
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES				
Transfers in	-	1,749,64	2 1,277,531	(472,111)
Total other financing sources	-	1,749,64	2 1,277,531	(472,111)
Net change in fund balance	-	29,11	3 970,128	941,015
FUND BALANCES, beginning of year	256,640	256,64	0 256,640	
FUND BALANCES, end of year	\$ 256,640	\$ 285,75	3 \$ 1,226,768	\$ 941,015

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30,

SCHEDULE OF PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF THE NET PENSION LIABILITY SOUTH CAROLINA RETIREMENT SYSTEM – PRIMARY GOVERNMENT

Plan Year Ended June 30,	County's proportion of the net pension liability	County's proportionate share of the net pension liability		County's covered payroll		County's share of the net pension liability as a percentage of its covered payroll	Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability
2020	0.098225%	\$	25,098,134	\$	10,717,988	234%	50.71%
2019	0.095718%		21,856,367		10,105,559	216%	53.34%
2018	0.092094%		20,635,403		9,569,920	216%	53.34%
2017	0.097985%		22,085,045		10,023,134	220%	53.34%
2016	0.092799%		19,526,510		8,800,266	222%	52.90%
2015	0.092174%		17,480,579		8,710,229	201%	57.00%
2014	0.094651%		16,295,759		8,614,344	189%	59.90%

SCHEDULE OF PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF THE NET PENSION LIABILITY POLICE OFFICERS' RETIREMENT SYSTEM – PRIMARY GOVERNMENT

Plan Year Ended June 30,	County's proportion of the net pension liability	sl	County's proportionate share of the net pension liability		County's covered payroll	County's share of the net pension liability as a percentage of its covered payroll	Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability	
2020	0.308210%	\$	10,220,913	\$	4,655,962	220%	58.79%	
2019	0.305935%		8,767,915		4,437,460	198%	62.69%	
2018	0.296210%		8,393,222		4,461,857	188%	60.94%	
2017	0.316857%		8,680,534		4,547,825	191%	60.94%	
2016	0.318141%		7,795,862		3,956,317	197%	60.40%	
2015	0.330253%		7,197,930		3,964,012	182%	64.60%	
2014	0.314595%		6,022,663		3,641,573	165%	67.50%	

Notes to the Schedules:

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30,

SCHEDULE OF PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF THE NET PENSION LIABILITY SOUTH CAROLINA RETIREMENT SYSTEM – FIRE AND RESCUE COMMISSION

Plan Year Ended June 30,	Commission's proportion of the net pension liability	pro sha	Commission's proportionate share of the net pension liability		mmission's ered payroll	Commission's share of the net pension liability as a percentage of its covered payroll	Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability	
2020	0.002664%	\$	680,710	\$	290,692	234%	50.71%	
2019	0.002596%		592,786		274,082	216%	54.40%	
2018	0.002498%		559,670		231,432	242%	54.10%	
2017	0.002370%		533,436		128,815	414%	53.34%	
2016	0.001193%		525,824		297,612	177%	52.90%	
2015	0.003117%		591,963		243,862	243%	57.00%	
2014	0.002650%		456,236		189,312	241%	59.90%	

SCHEDULE OF PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF THE NET PENSION LIABILITY POLICE OFFICERS' RETIREMENT SYSTEM – FIRE AND RESCUE COMMISSION

Plan Year Ended June 30,	Commission's proportion of the net pension liability	pr sha	Commission's proportionate share of the net pension liability		ommission's ered payroll	Commission's share of the net pension liability as a percentage of its covered payroll	Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability	
2020	0.401133%	\$	13,302,440	\$	6,059,715	220%	58.79%	
2019	0.398173%		11,411,400		5,775,336	198%	62.69%	
2018	0.385515%		10,923,745		4,973,240	220%	61.73%	
2017	0.353173%		9,675,427		4,473,174	216%	60.94%	
2016	0.312920%		8,210,866		4,078,445	201%	60.40%	
2015	0.340447%		7,420,061		4,404,638	168%	64.60%	
2014	0.349565%		6,692,122		4,343,910	154%	67.50%	

Notes to the Schedules:

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30,

SCHEDULE OF PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF THE NET PENSION LIABILITY SOUTH CAROLINA RETIREMENT SYSTEM – MEMORIAL LIBRARY

Plan Year Ended June 30,	Library's proportion of the net pension liability	prop share	Library's proportionate share of the net pension liability		Library's ered payroll	Library's share of the net pension liability as a percentage of its covered payroll	Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability
2020	0.003583%	\$	915,621	\$	391,009	234%	50.71%
2019	0.003492%		797,355		368,667	216%	54.10%
2018	0.003360%		752,812		349,178	216%	54.10%
2017	0.003575%		804,833		335,043	240%	53.34%
2016	0.003102%		686,800		320,215	214%	52.90%
2015	0.003354%		635,958		322,367	197%	57.00%
2014	0.003503%		603,114		350,642	172%	59.90%

Notes to the Schedules:

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30,

SCHEDULE OF CONTRIBUTIONS SOUTH CAROLINA RETIREMENT SYSTEM – PRIMARY GOVERNMENT

Statutorily required contribution		required s		statu	Contributions relative to statutorily required contribution		Contribution deficiency (excess)		nty's covered payroll	Contributions as a percentage of covered payroll	
\$	1,678,099	\$	1,678,099	\$	-	\$	10,784,699	15.56%			
	1,667,718		1,667,718				10,717,988	15.56%			
	1,511,797		1,511,797		-		10,105,559	14.96%			
	1,297,681		1,297,681		-		9,569,920	13.56%			
	1,158,674		1,158,674		-		10,023,134	11.56%			
	973,309		973,309		-		8,800,266	11.06%			
	949,415		949,415		-		8,710,229	10.90%			
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SCHEDULE OF CONTRIBUTIONS POLICE OFFICERS' RETIREMENT SYSTEM – PRIMARY GOVERNMENT

Fiscal Year Ended June 30,	Statutorily required contribution		uired statutorily required		de	ntribution eficiency excess)	Cour	nty's covered payroll	Contributions as a percentage of covered payroll	
2021	\$	846,418	\$	846,418	\$	-	\$	4,640,451	18.24%	
2020		849,246		849,246		-		4,655,962	18.24%	
2019		765,018		765,018		-		4,437,460	17.24%	
2018		724,610		724,610		-		4,461,857	16.24%	
2017		647,610		647,610		-		4,547,825	14.24%	
2016		543,598		543,598		-		3,956,317	13.74%	
2015		531,574		531,574		-		3,964,012	13.41%	

Notes to the Schedules:

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30,

SCHEDULE OF CONTRIBUTIONS SOUTH CAROLINA RETIREMENT SYSTEM – FIRE AND RESCUE COMMISSION

Fiscal Year Ended June 30,	Statutorily required contribution		Contributions relative to statutorily required contribution		Contribution deficiency (excess)		 nmission's red payroll	Contributions as a percentage of covered payroll	
2021	\$	45,513	\$	45,513	\$	-	\$ 292,501	15.56%	
2020		45,232		45,232		-	290,692	15.56%	
2019		41,003		41,003		-	274,082	14.96%	
2018		31,380		31,380		-	231,432	13.56%	
2017		14,891		14,891		-	128,815	11.56%	
2016		32,916		32,916		-	297,612	11.06%	
2015		26,581		26,581		-	243,862	10.90%	

SCHEDULE OF CONTRIBUTIONS POLICE OFFICERS' RETIREMENT SYSTEM – FIRE AND RESCUE COMMISSION

Fiscal Year Ended June 30,	ı	statutorily required ontribution	Contributions relative to statutorily required contribution		Contribution deficiency (excess)		_	mmission's ered payroll	Contributions as a percentage of covered payroll	
2021	\$	1,101,610	\$	1,101,610	\$	-	\$	6,039,529	18.24%	
2020		1,105,291		1,105,291		-		6,059,715	18.24%	
2019		995,668		995,668		-		5,775,336	17.24%	
2018		807,740		807,740		-		4,973,240	16.24%	
2017		636,980		636,980		-		4,473,174	14.24%	
2016		560,378		560,378		-		4,078,445	13.74%	
2015		590,662		590,662		-		4,404,638	13.41%	

Notes to the Schedules:

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30,

SCHEDULE OF CONTRIBUTIONS SOUTH CAROLINA RETIREMENT SYSTEM – MEMORIAL LIBRARY

Fiscal Year Ended June 30,	re	Statutorily required contribution		statutorily required		Contribution deficiency (excess)		iry's covered payroll	Contributions as a percentage of covered payroll		
2021	\$	61,219	\$	61,219	\$	-	\$	393,443	15.56%		
2020		60,841		60,841		-		391,009	15.56%		
2019		55,153		55,153		-		368,667	14.96%		
2018		47,349		47,349		-		349,178	13.56%		
2017		38,731		38,731		-		335,043	11.56%		
2016		35,416		35,416		-		320,215	11.06%		
2015		35,138		35,138		-		322,367	10.90%		

Notes to the Schedules:

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION RETIREMENT PLAN ASSUMPTIONS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30,

The following represents the assumptions used for the County, Fire and Rescue Commission and the Memorial Library.

System	SCRS	PORS
Calculation date	July 1, 2019	July 1, 2019
Actuarial cost method	Entry Age Normal	Entry Age Normal
Asset valuation method	5-year smoothed	5-year smoothed
Amortization method	Level % of pay	Level % of pay
Amortization period	39 years maximum, closed	29 years maximum, closed
Investment return	7.25%	7.25%
Inflation	2.25%	2.25%
Salary increases	3.00% to 12.5% (varies by service)	3.50% to 9.5% (varies by service)
Mortality	The 2016 Public Retirees of South Carolina Mortality Tables for males and females, both projected at Scale AA from the year 2016. Males rates multiplied by 100% for general employees and 125% for public safety and firefighters. Female rates multipled by 111% for general employees and 111% for public safety and firefighters.	The 2016 Public Retirees of South Carolina Mortality Tables for males and females, both projected at Scale AA from the year 2016. Males rates multiplied by 100% for general employees and 125% for public safety and firefighters. Female rates multipled by 111% for general employees and 111% for public safety and firefighters.

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION OPEB RETIREMENT PLAN – SCHEDULE OF CHANGES IN THE PRIMARY GOVERNMENT'S TOTAL OPEB LIABILITY AND RELATED RATIOS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30,

	2021		2020		2019		2018	
Total OPEB liability								
Service cost		273,464	\$ 220,060	\$	224,176	\$	260,008	
Interest on total OPEB liability		114,920	119,093		107,751		89,458	
Difference between expected								
actual experience		1,434	(191,897)		(3,268)		-	
Effect of assumption changes		454,267	241,956		(32,142)		(338,163)	
Benefit payments		(37,269)	 (31,099)		(31,555)		(29,153)	
Net change in total OPEB liability		806,816	358,113		264,962		(17,850)	
Total OPEB liability - beginning		3,553,380	 3,195,267		2,930,305	-	2,948,155	
Total OPEB liability - ending	\$	4,360,196	\$ 3,553,380	\$	3,195,267	\$	2,930,305	
Covered-employee payroll	\$	13,976,210	\$ 13,976,210	\$	13,463,416	\$	12,826,065	
Total OPEB liability as a percentage of covered-employee payroll		31.2%	25.4%		23.7%		22.8%	

Notes to the Schedule:

The schedule will present 10 years of information once it is accumulated.

The discount rate changed from 3.13% as of June 30, 2019 to 2.45% as of June 30, 2020.

The County is not accumulating assets in a trust fund that meets the criteria in paragraph 4 of GASB Statement No. 75 for payment of future OPEB benefits.

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION OPEB RETIREMENT PLAN – SCHEDULE OF CHANGES IN THE FIRE AND RESCUE COMMISSION'S TOTAL OPEB LIABILITY AND RELATED RATIOS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30,

	2021		2020		2019		2018
Total OPEB liability			 _				_
Service cost	\$	49,915	\$ 40,169	\$	40,920	\$	47,459
Interest on total OPEB liability		20,976	21,738		19,668		16,329
Difference between expected							
actual experience		262	(35,027)		(597)		-
Effect of assumption changes		82,916	44,164		(5,867)		(61,725)
Benefit payments		(6,803)	(5,676)		(5,760)		(5,321)
Net change in total OPEB liability		147,266	65,368		48,364		(3,258)
Total OPEB liability - beginning		648,603	583,235		534,871		538,129
Total OPEB liability - ending	\$	795,869	\$ 648,603	\$	583,235	\$	534,871
Covered-employee payroll	\$	2,551,068	\$ 2,551,068	\$	2,457,468	\$	2,341,133
Total OPEB liability as a percentage of covered-employee payroll		31.2%	25.4%		23.7%		22.8%

Notes to the Schedule:

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REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION OPEB RETIREMENT PLAN – SCHEDULE OF CHANGES IN THE MEMORIAL LIBRARY'S TOTAL OPEB LIABILITY AND RELATED RATIOS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30,

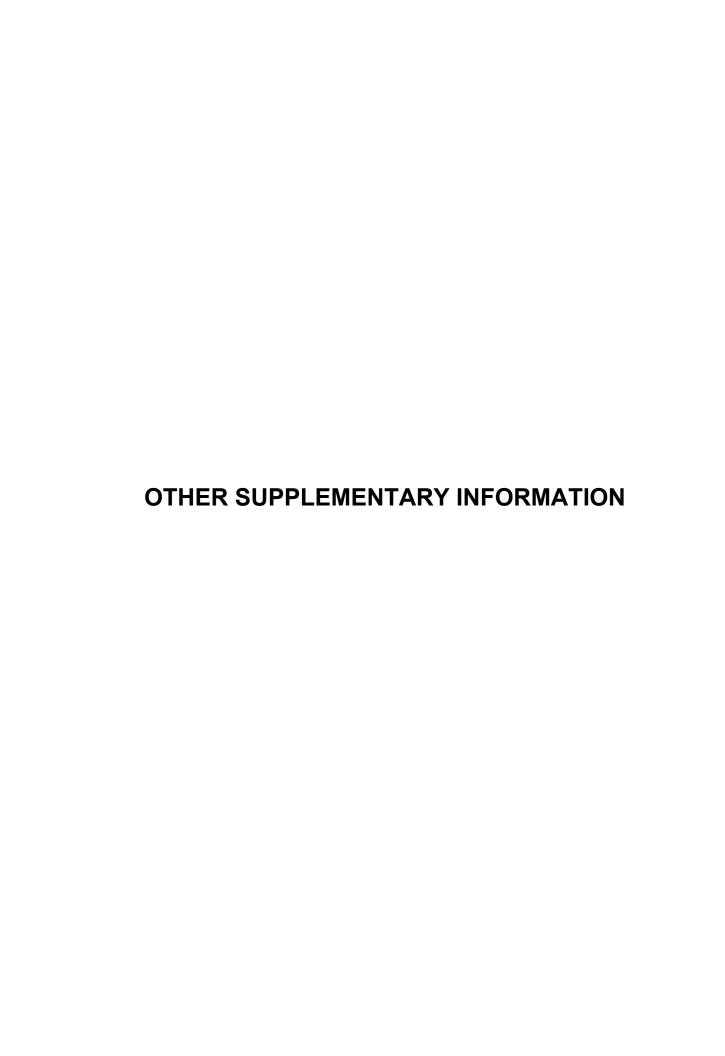
	2021		2020	2019	2018
Total OPEB liability			 _	 _	
Service cost	\$	33,158	\$ 26,693	\$ 27,192	\$ 31,526
Interest on total OPEB liability		13,934	1,441	13,065	10,847
Difference between expected actual experience		174	(23,268)	(396)	-
Effect of assumption changes		55,115	29,338	(3,897)	(41,003)
Benefit payments		(4,519)	 (3,771)	 (3,826)	 (3,535)
Net change in total OPEB liability		97,862	30,433	32,138	(2,165)
Total OPEB liability - beginning		430,987	 387,555	 355,417	357,582
Total OPEB liability - ending	\$	528,849	\$ 430,987	\$ 387,555	\$ 355,417
Covered-employee payroll	\$	1,694,638	\$ 1,694,638	\$ 1,632,461	\$ 1,555,181
Total OPEB liability as a percentage of covered-employee payroll		31.2%	25.4%	23.7%	22.9%

Notes to the Schedule:

The schedule will present 10 years of information once it is accumulated.

The discount rate changed from 3.13% as of June 30, 2019 to 2.45% as of June 30, 2020.

The County is not accumulating assets in a trust fund that meets the criteria in paragraph 4 of GASB Statement No. 75 for payment of future OPEB benefits.



NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS

Special revenue funds are used to account for specific revenues that are legally restricted to expenditures for particular purposes.

Sheriff's Discretionary Funds – to account for the program and activities associated with the Sheriff department.

Clerk of Court IV Incentives Fund – to account for federal child enforcement incentives received and disbursed by the Clerk of Court.

Clerk of Court IV Unit Costs Fund – to account for federal child enforcement funds received and disbursed by the Clerk of Court.

Victim Witness Services Fund – to account for victims' funds for the County.

14th Circuit Court Solicitor Fund – to account for the activities of the 14th Circuit Court Solicitor mandated by State Statute to prosecute within the 14th Circuit Court System that Colleton County acts as Host County.

Animal Care Control Donations Fund – to account for projects and activities for animal control.

Emergency Telephone Fund – to account for operations of the County's Emergency 911 communication system.

County Hospitality Tax Fund - to account for local hospitality tax collected by the County.

County Accommodations Tax Fund – to account for local accommodations tax collected by the County.

State Accommodations Tax Fund – to account for state accommodations tax collected by the State.

NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

DEBT SERVICE FUNDS

Debt Service Fund – used for the accumulation of resources for payment of principal and interest on County general obligation debt.

GO Bond Fund – used to set aside funds to pay interest and principal related to the General Obligation Bond Series 2015.

Debt Service Non-GOB – used to set aside funds to pay interest and principal on County non-general obligation debt.

COMBINING BALANCE SHEET NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS JUNE 30, 2021

				Special Rev	enue Fu	nds		
		Sheriff's						Victim
	Dis	cretionary	Clei	rk of Court	Cle	k of Court		Witness
		Funds	IV I	ncentives	IV U	Jnit Costs		Services
ASSETS	_		_					
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	129,165	\$	92,884	\$	-	\$	132,246
Receivables, net		1,023		-		26,564		4,626
Prepaid expenditures	•	- 100 100	•		Φ.		_	400.070
Total assets	\$	130,188	\$	92,884	\$	26,564	\$	136,872
LIABILITIES, DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES AND FUND BALANCES								
LIABILITIES								
Accounts payable	\$	54	\$	-	\$	8,208	\$	575
Accrued payroll and benefits		485		-		3,994		914
Total liabilities		539		-		12,202		1,489
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES								
Unavailable revenue - property taxes		-		-		-		-
Total deferred inflows of resources		-		-		-		-
FUND BALANCES								
Non-spendable:								
Prepaid expenditures		-		_		-		-
Restricted for:								
Public safety		129,649		-		-		135,383
Debt service		-		-		-		-
Recreation and culture		-		-		-		-
Judicial services		-		92,884		14,362		-
Assigned:								
Judicial services		-		-		-		-
Public safety		-		-		-		-
Committed								
Recreation and culture				-				-
Total fund balances		129,649		92,884		14,362		135,383
Total liabilities, deferred inflows								
of resources and fund balances	\$	130,188	\$	92,884	\$	26,564	\$	136,872

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1	4th Circuit Court	(imal Care Control	mergency	County ospitality	County mmodations	State nmodations
	Solicitor	D	onations	 elephone	 Тах	 Тах	Тах
\$	1,316,292 2,790 22,532	\$	16,983 -	\$ 423,216 37,812	\$ 29,306 58,031	\$ 463 103,244	\$ 41,779 19,365
5	1,341,614	\$	16,983	\$ 461,028	\$ 87,337	\$ 103,707	\$ 61,144
\$	30,047 117,414	\$	3,312	\$ 4,983 2,487	\$ 600	\$ 6,920 10,031	\$ -
	147,461		3,312	7,470	600	16,951	 -
	-		-	-	-	-	-
	-		-	-	 -	-	-
	22,532		-	-	-	-	-
	-		-	453,558	-	-	-
	- - -		- -	- -	- -	- - -	- 61,144 -
	1,171,621		-	-	-	-	-
	-		13,671	-	-	-	-
	1,194,153		13,671	 453,558	 86,737 86,737	86,756 86,756	 61,144
	1,341,614	\$	16,983	\$ 461,028	\$ 87,337	\$ 103,707	\$ 61,144

COMBINING BALANCE SHEET NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS JUNE 30, 2021

			Debt :	Service Funds	S		
	De	Debt Service		GO Bond		ebt Service	Totals
ASSETS		Dt Oci vice		CC Bolla		1011-001	 Totals
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	455,587	\$	173,674	\$	124,296	\$ 2,935,891
Receivables, net		99,454		-		· -	352,909
Prepaid expenditures		-		-		-	22,532
Total assets	\$	555,041	\$	173,674	\$	124,296	\$ 3,311,332
LIABILITIES, DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES AND FUND BALANCES							
LIABILITIES							
Accounts payable	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$ 54,699
Accrued payroll and benefits		-		-		-	 135,325
Total liabilities							 190,024
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES							
Unavailable revenue - property taxes		83,281				_	 83,281
Total deferred inflows of resources		83,281					 83,281
FUND BALANCES							
Non-spendable:							
Prepaid expenditures		-		-		-	22,532
Restricted for:							
Public safety		-		-		-	718,590
Debt service		471,760		173,674		124,296	769,730
Recreation and culture		-		-		-	61,144
Judicial services Assigned:		-		-		-	107,246
Assigned. Judicial services							1,171,621
Public safety							13,671
Committed		_		_		_	13,071
Recreation and culture		_		_		_	173,493
Total fund balances		471.760		173.674		124.296	 3,038,027
Total liabilities, deferred inflows		,. 30		,	-	,	 -,,
of resources, and fund balances	\$	555,041	\$	173,674	\$	124,296	\$ 3,311,332

COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

			Special Rev	enue Fu	nds		
	Dis	Sheriff's cretionary Funds	rk of Court Incentives		Clerk of Court IV Unit Costs		Victim Witness Services
Revenues			 				
Taxes	\$	-	\$ -	\$	-	\$	-
Intergovernmental		-	38,645		173,317		59,954
Fines and fees		-	-		-		-
Other revenues		5,588	 428		3		755
Total revenues		5,588	39,073		173,320		60,709
Expenditures							
Current:							
General government		-	-		-		-
Judicial services		-	-		152,097		-
Public safety		52,823	-		-		84,789
Roads and bridges		-	-		-		-
Recreation and culture		-	-		-		-
Economic development		-	-		-		-
Intergovernmental		-	-		-		-
Debt service:							
Principal		-	-		-		-
Interest and fiscal charges		-	-		-		-
Total expenditures		52,823	 -		152,097		84,789
Excess (deficiency) of revenues							
over (under) expenditures		(47,235)	 39,073		21,223		(24,080)
Other financing sources (uses)							
Proceeds from sale of capital assets		9,031	-		-		-
Insurance recoveries		-	-		-		-
Transfers in		11,900	-		26,500		-
Transfers out		-	(26,500)		(33,691)		-
Total other financing sources (uses)		20,931	 (26,500)		(7,191)		=
Net change in fund balances		(26,304)	12,573		14,032		(24,080)
Fund balances, beginning of year,							
as restated		155,953	 80,311		330		159,463
Fund balances, end of year	\$	129,649	\$ 92,884	\$	14,362	\$	135,383

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			Special	Reven	ue Funds				
14th Circuit Court Solicitor	Animal Care Control Donations		Emergency Felephone	Н	County lospitality Tax	Acco	County Accommodations Tax		State nmodations Tax
-	\$ -	\$	-	\$	624,658	\$	607,041	\$	40,002
4,011,100	-		109,265		-		-		
238,290	15,108		275,076		-		-		
9,645	10,239		1,905		790		499		133
4,259,035	25,347		386,246		625,448		607,540		40,135
-	-		-		2,125		-		
4,356,354	-		-		-		-		
-	50,796		283,535		-		-		
=	-		-		-		5,791		
=	-		-		72,045		367,145		
-	-		-		124,152		-		
-	-		-		6,000		25,702		
-	-		-		-		-		
4,356,354	50,796		283,535		204,322		398,638		
(97,319)	(25,449	<u> </u>	102,711		421,126		208,902		40,13
-	-		-		-		-		
4,948	_		_		-		-		
240,988	-		-		-		-		
(121,657)	-		-		(408,486)		(150,000)		
124,279			-		(408,486)		(150,000)		
26,960	(25,449)	102,711		12,640		58,902		40,13
1,167,193	39,120	_	350,847		74,097		27,854		21,00
1,194,153	\$ 13,671	\$	453,558	\$	86,737	\$	86,756	\$	61,14

COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

		Debt Service Fund	s	
	Debt Service	GO Bond	Debt Service Non-GOB	Totals
Revenues				
Taxes	\$ 2,036,127	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 3,307,828
Intergovernmental	-	-	-	4,392,281
Fines and fees	1,384	-	-	529,858
Other revenues	4,154	892	6	35,037
Total revenues	2,041,665	892	6	8,265,004
Expenditures				
Current:				
General government	-	-	-	2,125
Judicial services	-	-	-	4,508,451
Public safety	-	-	-	471,943
Roads and bridges	-	-	-	5,791
Recreation and culture	-	-	-	439,190
Economic development	-	-	-	124,152
Intergovernmental	-	-	-	31,702
Debt service:				
Principal	485,000	-	923,333	1,408,333
Interest and fiscal charges	213,028	-	269,634	482,662
Total expenditures	698,028		1,192,967	7,474,349
Excess (deficiency) of revenues				
over (under) expenditures	1,343,637	892	(1,192,961)	790,655
Other financing sources (uses)				
Proceeds from sale of capital assets	-	-	-	9,031
Insurance recoveries	-	-	-	4,948
Transfers in	-	-	1,291,450	1,570,838
Transfers out	(1,200,000)	-	-	(1,940,334)
Total other financing sources (uses)	(1,200,000)		1,291,450	(355,517)
Net change in fund balances	143,637	892	98,489	435,138
Fund balances, beginning of year,				
as restated	328,123	172,782	25,807	2,602,889
Fund balances, end of year	\$ 471,760	\$ 173,674	\$ 124,296	\$ 3,038,027

CLERK OF COURT IV INCENTIVES SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

	I	Original Budgeted Amounts	Final Budgeted Amounts		Actual		Variance	
REVENUES			_		_			
Intergovernmental	\$	26,000	\$	26,000	\$	38,645	\$	12,645
Other revenues		500		500		428		(72)
Total revenues		26,500		26,500		39,073		12,573
OTHER FINANCING USES								
Transfers out		(26,500)		(26,500)		(26,500)		-
Total other financing uses		(26,500)		(26,500)		(26,500)		-
Net change in fund balance		-		-		12,573		12,573
FUND BALANCES, beginning of year		80,311		80,311		80,311		-
FUND BALANCES, end of year	\$	80,311	\$	80,311	\$	92,884	\$	12,573

CLERK OF COURT IV UNIT COSTS SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

		Original Budgeted Amounts		Final Budgeted Amounts Actu			tual Variance		
REVENUES	_						_		
Intergovernmental	\$	130,000	\$	140,513	\$	173,317	\$	32,804	
Other revenues		500		-		3		3	
Total revenues		130,500		140,513		173,320		32,807	
EXPENDITURES									
Judicial services		148,756		159,269		152,097		7,172	
Total expenditures		148,756		159,269		152,097		7,172	
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over (under) expenditures		(18,256)		(18,756)		21,223		39,979	
over (under) experiorales	-	(10,230)		(10,730)		21,223		39,919	
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)									
Transfers in		26,500		26,500		26,500		-	
Transfers out		-				(33,691)		(33,691)	
Total other financing sources (uses)		26,500	_	26,500		(7,191)		(33,691)	
Net change in fund balance		8,244		7,744		14,032		6,288	
FUND BALANCES, beginning of year		330		330		330			
FUND BALANCES, end of year	\$	8,574	\$	8,074	\$	14,362	\$	6,288	

VICTIM WITNESS SERVICES SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

	E	Original Budgeted Amounts	Final Budgeted Amounts Actu		Actual	ual Variance		
REVENUES	•	00.504	Φ.	00.504	Φ.	50.054	Φ.	(00,000)
Intergovernmental	\$	89,584	\$	89,584	\$	59,954	\$	(29,630)
Other revenues		2,000		2,000		755		(1,245)
Total revenues		91,584		91,584		60,709		(30,875)
EXPENDITURES								
Public safety		91,584		91,584		84,789		6,795
Total expenditures		91,584		91,584		84,789		6,795
Net change in fund balance		-		-		(24,080)		(24,080)
FUND BALANCES, beginning of year		159,463		159,463		159,463		
FUND BALANCES, end of year	\$	159,463	\$	159,463	\$	135,383	\$	(24,080)

ANIMAL CARE CONTROL DONATIONS SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

	E	Original Budgeted Amounts	Final Budgeted Amounts		Actual		Variance		
REVENUES									
Fines and fees	\$	23,000	\$	23,000	\$	15,108	\$	(7,892)	
Other revenues		1,000		3,315		10,239		6,924	
Total revenues		24,000		26,315		25,347		(968)	
EXPENDITURES									
Public safety		47,200		83,697		50,796		32,901	
Capital outlay		56,600		32,418		-		32,418	
Total expenditures		103,800		116,115		50,796		65,319	
Net change in fund balance		(79,800)		(89,800)		(25,449)		64,351	
FUND BALANCES, beginning of year		39,120		39,120		39,120			
FUND BALANCES, end of year	\$	(40,680)	\$	(50,680)	\$	13,671	\$	64,351	

EMERGENCY TELEPHONE SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

	 Original Budgeted Amounts	Final Budgeted Amounts	 Actual	Variance		
REVENUES						
Intergovernmental	\$ 85,000	\$ 85,000	\$ 109,265	\$	24,265	
Fines and fees	250,000	250,000	275,076		25,076	
Other revenues	58,834	135,074	1,905		(133,169)	
Total revenues	 393,834	470,074	386,246		(83,828)	
EXPENDITURES						
Public safety	393,834	470,074	283,535		186,539	
Total expenditures	 393,834	470,074	283,535		186,539	
Net change in fund balance	-	-	102,711		102,711	
FUND BALANCES, beginning of year	 350,847	 350,847	 350,847			
FUND BALANCES, end of year	\$ 350,847	\$ 350,847	\$ 453,558	\$	102,711	

COUNTY HOSPITALITY TAX SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

	E	Original Budgeted Amounts	Final Budgeted Amounts	Actual	\	/ariance
REVENUES						
Taxes	\$	550,000	\$ 550,000	\$ 624,658	\$	74,658
Other revenues		1,200	 1,200	790		(410)
Total revenues		551,200	 551,200	 625,448		74,248
EXPENDITURES						
General government		8,000	8,000	2,125		5,875
Recreation and culture		72,045	72,045	72,045		-
Economic development		124,152	124,152	124,152		-
Intergovernmental		6,000	6,000	6,000		-
Total expenditures		210,197	210,197	 204,322		5,875
Excess of revenues						
over expenditures		341,003	 341,003	 421,126		80,123
OTHER FINANCING USES						
Transfers out		(391,303)	(439,361)	(408,486)		30,875
Total other financing uses		(391,303)	(439,361)	 (408,486)		30,875
Net change in fund balance		(50,300)	(98,358)	12,640		110,998
FUND BALANCES, beginning of year		74,097	74,097	 74,097		
FUND BALANCES, end of year	\$	23,797	\$ (24,261)	\$ 86,737	\$	110,998

COUNTY ACCOMMODATIONS TAX SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

	E	Original Budgeted Amounts		Final Budgeted Amounts		Actual		Variance
REVENUES	_		_		_		_	
Taxes	\$	473,250	\$	473,250	\$	607,041	\$	133,791
Other revenues		18,875		142,970		499		(142,471)
Total revenues		492,125		616,220		607,540		(8,680)
EXPENDITURES								
Roads and bridges		7,614		7,614		5,791		1,823
Recreation and culture		489,684		509,829		367,145		142,684
Intergovernmental		25,702		25,702		25,702		-
Total expenditures		523,000		543,145		398,638		144,507
Excess (deficiency) of revenues								
over (under) expenditures		(30,875)		73,075		208,902		135,827
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)								
Transfers in		-		35,291		-		(35,291)
Transfers out		-		(103,950)		(150,000)		(46,050)
Total other financing uses, net		-		(68,659)		(150,000)		(81,341)
Net change in fund balance		(30,875)		4,416		58,902		54,486
FUND BALANCES, beginning of year		27,854		27,854		27,854		
FUND BALANCES, end of year	\$	(3,021)	\$	32,270	\$	86,756	\$	54,486

DEBT SERVICE SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

	Original Budgeted Amounts	Final Budgeted Amounts	Actual	 Variance
REVENUES				
Taxes	\$ 1,927,322	\$ 1,927,322	\$ 2,036,127	\$ 108,805
Fines and fees	9,100	9,100	1,384	(7,716)
Other revenues	 13,000	 13,000	 4,154	 (8,846)
Total revenues	 1,949,422	 1,949,422	 2,041,665	 92,243
EXPENDITURES				
Debt service:				
Principal	633,726	633,726	485,000	148,726
Interest and fiscal charges	213,028	213,028	213,028	-
Total expenditures	 846,754	846,754	698,028	 148,726
Excess of revenues				
over expenditures	 1,102,668	 1,102,668	 1,343,637	 240,969
OTHER FINANCING USES				
Transfers out	(1,102,668)	(1,102,668)	(1,200,000)	(97,332)
Total other financing uses	(1,102,668)	(1,102,668)	(1,200,000)	 (97,332)
Net change in fund balance	-	-	143,637	143,637
FUND BALANCES, beginning of year	 328,123	 328,123	 328,123	
FUND BALANCES, end of year	\$ 328,123	\$ 328,123	\$ 471,760	\$ 143,637

CAPITAL SALES TAX DEBT SERVICE SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

	Original Budgeted Amounts	Final Budgeted Amounts	Actual	Variance
REVENUES	 	 		
Taxes	\$ 4,150,000	\$ 4,150,000	\$ 5,408,026	\$ 1,258,026
Other revenues	25,000	25,000	15,546	(9,454)
Total revenues	 4,175,000	4,175,000	5,423,572	 1,248,572
EXPENDITURES				
Debt service:				
Principal	3,877,950	3,877,950	3,790,000	87,950
Interest and fiscal charges	297,050	297,050	297,050	-
Total expenditures	 4,175,000	4,175,000	4,087,050	 87,950
Net change in fund balance	-	-	1,336,522	1,336,522
FUND BALANCES, beginning of year	 5,532,811	 5,532,811	 5,532,811	
FUND BALANCES, end of year	\$ 5,532,811	\$ 5,532,811	\$ 6,869,333	\$ 1,336,522

DEBT SERVICE NON-GOB SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

	E	Original Budgeted Amounts		Final Budgeted Amounts		Actual	Variance		
REVENUES	Φ.		Φ.		•	0	Φ.	•	
Other revenues Total revenues	<u>\$</u>		\$		\$	6	\$	6	
EXPENDITURES									
Debt service:									
Principal		923,333		923,333		923,333		-	
Interest and fiscal charges		270,785		270,785		269,634		1,151	
Total expenditures		1,194,118		1,194,118		1,192,967		1,151	
Deficiency of revenues									
under expenditures		(1,194,118)		(1,194,118)		(1,192,961)		1,157	
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES									
Transfers in		1,194,118		1,194,118		1,291,450		97,332	
Total other financing sources		1,194,118		1,194,118		1,291,450		97,332	
Net change in fund balance		-		-		98,489		98,489	
FUND BALANCES, beginning of year		25,807		25,807		25,807		-	
FUND BALANCES, end of year	\$	25,807	\$	25,807	\$	124,296	\$	98,489	

CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

	Original Budgeted Amounts		Final Budgeted Amounts	Actual	Variance
REVENUES				 	
Intergovernmental	\$ 82,984	\$	4,460,440	\$ 2,657,358	\$ (1,803,082)
Other revenues	136,625		1,682,321	532,482	(1,149,839)
Total revenues	 219,609		6,142,761	3,189,840	(2,952,921)
EXPENDITURES					
General government	450,000		722,867	637,334	85,533
Public safety	_		424,038	411,670	12,368
Solid waste	_		2,891,252	1,093,084	1,798,168
Recreation and culture	_		42,509	42,509	-
Health and human services	_		-	7,931	(7,931)
Economic development	185,000		925,860	677,808	248,052
Intergovernmental	_		7,093,001	636,467	6,456,534
Capital outlay:			,,	,	-,,
General government	_		2,394,953	312,118	2,082,835
Public safety	-		526	526	-
Total expenditures	 635,000		14,495,006	3,819,447	10,675,559
Deficiency of revenues					
under expenditures	 (415,391)		(8,352,245)	 (629,607)	 7,722,638
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)					
Proceeds from sale of capital assets	200,000		200,000	8,640	(191,360)
Issuance of debt	-		7,505,418	581,093	(6,924,325)
Insurance proceeds	-		-	496,528	496,528
Transfers in	428,479		446,390	792,440	346,050
Transfers out	-		(1,273,689)	(1,140,000)	133,689
Total other financing sources, net	 628,479	_	6,878,119	738,701	(6,139,418)
Net change in fund balance	213,088		(1,474,126)	109,094	1,583,220
FUND BALANCES, beginning of year	 10,018,816		10,018,816	10,018,816	
FUND BALANCES, end of year	\$ 10,231,904	\$	8,544,690	\$ 10,127,910	\$ 1,583,220

FIDUCIARY FUNDS

CUSTODIAL FUNDS

Custodial funds are used to account for assets held by the County as an agent for individuals, private organizations, and other governments.

Sheriff Trust Funds – to account for the receipts and disbursements by the Sheriff's office related to seized assets from offenders.

Inmate Trust Funds – to account for the funds held for the offenders that are incarcerated.

Jail Commissary Funds - to account for the resources used to operate the County detention center commissary.

Willow Swamp Water Shed Fund - to account for the resources used for the Willow Swamp water shed.

Law Officer's Memorial Fund – to account for contributions on behalf of law enforcement officials.

Treasurer Fund – to account for receipts and disbursements by the Treasurer that will be disbursed to other entities.

14th Circuit Court Solicitor Fund – to account for receipts and disbursements by the 14th Circuit Court Solicitor that will be disbursed to other entities.

Delinquent Tax Fund – to account for delinquent taxes collected.

Clerk of Court Fund – to account for child support payments, bonds, restitution, and fines collected by the Clerk of Court and held in trust for others.

Magistrate's Fund - to account for fines collected that have not been disposed of by the court.

Firemen's Fund – represents the receipts and disbursements by the treasurer that will be disbursed to the various fire departments within the County.

Colleton County School Fund – used to account for receipts and disbursements by the treasurer of assets earmarked for the school district.

COMBINING STATEMENT OF FIDUCIARY NET POSITION CUSTODIAL FUNDS JUNE 30, 2021

ASSETS	Sheriff Trust Funds	Inmate Trust Fund	Jail Commissary	Willow Swamp Water Shed	Law Officer's Memorial
Cash and cash equivalents Taxes receivable Other receivables	\$ 241,728 - -	\$ 105,815 - -	131,718 - -	\$ 48,680 3 -	\$ 2,859 - -
Total assets	241,728	105,815	131,718	48,683	2,859
LIABILITIES					
Due to others	183,262	68,789	108,500	42,948	
Total liabilities	183,262	68,789	108,500	42,948	
NET POSITION					
Restricted: Individuals, organizations, and other governments	58,466	37,026	23,218	5,735	2,859
Total net position	\$ 58,466	\$ 37,026	23,218	\$ 5,735	\$ 2,859

<u> </u>	reasurer	14th Circuit Court Solicitor	Delinquent Tax	Clerk of Court	Magistrate	Firemen	Colleton County School	Total
\$	754,660	\$ 11,490	\$ 2,765,130	\$ 313,398	\$ 78,948	\$ 104,893	\$ 7,307,124	\$ 11,866,443
	3,637	872						4,509
	758,297	12,362	2,765,130	313,398	78,948	104,893	7,307,124	11,870,955
	504,536	9,150	1,848,290	236,217	87,254	84,495	5,774,524	8,947,965
	504,536	9,150	1,848,290	236,217	87,254	84,495	5,774,524	8,947,965
	253,761	3,212	916,840	77,181	(8,306)	20,398	1,532,600	\$ 2,922,990
\$	253,761	\$ 3,212	\$ 916,840	\$ 77,181	\$ (8,306)	\$ 20,398	\$ 1,532,600	\$ 2,922,990

COMBINING STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FIDUCIARY NET POSITION CUSTODIAL FUNDS JUNE 30, 2021

ADDITIONS	Sheriff st Funds	nmate ust Fund	Co	Jail mmissary	ow Swamp ter Shed	Officer's emorial
Taxes Fines and fees Miscellaneous Total additions DEDUCTIONS	\$ 1,160 1,160	\$ 52,093 - 52,093	\$	162,013 162,013	\$ 5,497 - 238 5,735	\$ - - 5
Taxes and fees paid to other governments Other custodial disbursements Total deductions	 41	15,067 15,067		138,795 138,795	- - -	 - - -
Net increase (decrease) in fiduciary net position Net position, beginning of year, restated	 1,119 57,347	 37,026		23,218	 5,735	 5 2,854
Net position, end of year	\$ 58,466	\$ 37,026	\$	23,218	\$ 5,735	\$ 2,859

Treasurer	14th Circuit Court Solicitor	Delinquent Tax	Clerk of Court	Magistrate	Firemen	Colleton County School	Total
\$ 5,093,419 3,038,657 198	\$ - 81,570	\$ 6,261,370 - 12,881	\$ - 499,070 <u>26</u>	\$ - 500,260 	\$ 77,490 - 663	\$ 10,774,878 - 19,874,535	\$ 22,212,654 4,090,080 20,133,289
8,132,274	81,570	6,274,251	499,096	500,260	78,153	30,649,413	46,436,023
8,021,570 	- 89,195	5,430,446	- 580,787	- 528,886	- 57,755	17,448,539 12,160,427	30,900,555 13,570,953
8,021,570	89,195	5,430,446	580,787	528,886	57,755	29,608,966	44,471,508
110,704	(7,625)	843,805	(81,691)	(28,626)	20,398	1,040,447	1,964,515
143,057	10,837	73,035	158,872	20,320		492,153	958,475
\$ 253,761	\$ 3,212	\$ 916,840	\$ 77,181	\$ (8,306)	\$ 20,398	\$ 1,532,600	\$ 2,922,990

COMPONENT UNITS

MAJOR COMPONENT UNITS

Component units are used to account for organizations that raise and hold economic resources for the direct benefit of the governmental unit and for which the elected officials of the primary government are financially accountable.

Fire and Rescue Commission – used to account for programs and activities of the fire and rescue department.

Memorial Library Fund – used to account for programs and activities for the Memorial Library.

BALANCE SHEET COMPONENT UNIT FIRE AND RESCUE COMMISSION JUNE 30, 2021

		General	De	bt Service	 Capital	 Total
ASSETS	·	·				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	188,789	\$	32,775	\$ 761,619	\$ 983,183
Receivables, net		1,814,929		160,334	-	1,975,263
Prepaid expenditures		205,880		-	 -	 205,880
Total assets	\$	2,209,598	\$	193,109	\$ 761,619	\$ 3,164,326
LIABILITIES, DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES AND FUND BALANCES						
LIABILITIES						
Accounts payable	\$	165,577	\$	-	\$ 137,368	\$ 302,945
Accrued payroll and benefits		263,297		-	-	263,297
Total liabilities		428,874			 137,368	566,242
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES						
Unavailable revenue - fees		1,421,300		-	-	1,421,300
Unavailable revenue - property taxes		206,816		130,479	-	337,295
Unavailable revenue - intergovernmental		50,348			 	 50,348
Total deferred inflows of resources		1,678,464		130,479	 	 1,808,943
FUND BALANCES						
Nonspendable		205,880		-	-	205,880
Restricted		-		62,630	624,251	686,881
Unassigned		(103,620)			 -	 (103,620)
Total fund balances		102,260		62,630	 624,251	 789,141
Total liabilities, deferred inflows of						
resources and fund balances	\$	2,209,598	\$	193,109	\$ 761,619	\$ 3,164,326

RECONCILIATION OF THE GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS BALANCE SHEET TO THE STATEMENT OF NET POSITION COMPONENT UNIT – FIRE AND RESCUE COMMISSION JUNE 30, 2021

Total Fire and Rescue fund balance:			\$ 789,141
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of net position are different because of the following:			
Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and,			
therefore, are not reported in the government funds.			11,716,500
Other long-term assets are not available to pay for current period expenditures and, therefore, are deferred in the funds:			
Property taxes and other special assessments	\$	337,295	
EMS fee receivables		1,421,300	
Intergovermental revenues		50,348	1,808,943
Deferred outflows of resources are not due and payable in the current period and, therefore, are not reported in the funds. These deferred outflows of resources consist of pension related experience differences, assumption changes, and differences between projected and actual earnings on plan investments:			
Deferred outflows related to pensions	\$	3,368,930	
Deferred outflows related to other post-employment benefits		113,237	3,482,167
Long-term liabilities are not due and payable in the current period and, therefore, are not reported in the funds:			
General obligation bonds	\$	(7,415,000)	
Bond premiums		(63,652)	
Capital leases		(985,331)	
Compensated absences		(346,396)	
Accrued interest		(87,789)	
Net pension liability Total other post-employment benefits liability		(13,983,150)	
Total other post-employment benefits liability	-	(795,869)	(23,677,187)
Deferred inflows of resources are not available to pay for current period expenditures			,
and, therefore, are not reported in the funds. These deferred inflows of resources consist of pension related differences between projected and actual earnings on plan investments.			
Deferred inflows related to pensions	\$	(69,393)	
Deferred inflows related to other post-employment benefits		(66,789)	 (136,182)
Net position of governmental activities			\$ (6,016,618)

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES COMPONENT UNIT - FIRE AND RESCUE COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

DEVENUE		General	<u>D</u>	ebt Service	Capital			Total
REVENUES Taxes	\$	3,738,254	¢	2 544 220	\$		\$	6,282,584
Intergovernmental	Ф	3,736,254 4,356,928	\$	2,544,330	Ф	-	Ф	4,356,928
Fines and fees		1,850,027		-		-		1,850,027
Other income		16,218		1,814		7,326		25,358
Total revenues		9,961,427		2,546,144		7,326		12,514,897
EXPENDITURES				· · · ·				· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Current:								
Public safety		10,878,552		_		170,984		11,049,536
Capital outlay:		-,,				.,		,,
Public safety		37,001		-		1,005,151		1,042,152
Debt service:								
Principal		-		1,318,604		-		1,318,604
Interest		-		261,895		-		261,895
Total expenditures		10,915,553		1,580,499		1,176,135		13,672,187
Excess (deficiency) of revenues								
over (under) expenditures		(954,126)		965,645		(1,168,809)		(1,157,290)
OTHER FINANCING								
SOURCES (USES)								
Proceeds from sale of capital assets		20,500		-		-		20,500
Insurance recoveries		109,562		-		-		109,562
Transfers in		922,214		-		-		922,214
Transfers out		-		(922,214)		-		(922,214)
Total other financing sources (uses)		1,052,276		(922,214)				130,062
Net change in fund balances		98,150		43,431		(1,168,809)		(1,027,228)
Fund balances, beginning of year		4,110		19,199		1,793,060		1,816,369
Fund balances, end of year	\$	102,260	\$	62,630	\$	624,251	\$	789,141

RECONCILIATION OF THE STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES OF GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS TO THE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES COMPONENT UNIT – FIRE AND RESCUE COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

Net change in fund balances - total governmental funds		\$	(1,027,228)
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of activities are different because:			
Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures. However, in the statement of activities, the cost of those assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives and reported as depreciation expense.			
Capital outlay Depreciation expense	\$ 1,253,156 (982,360)		270,796
Revenues in the statement of activities that do not provide current financial resources are not reported as revenues in the funds:			
Property taxes and other special assessments EMS fees receivable Intergovernmental revenues	\$ (84,449) 209,015 22,078		146,644
The issuance of long-term debt provides current financial resources to governmental funds, while the repayment of the principal of long-term debt consumes the current financial resources of governmental funds. Neither transaction, however, has any effect on net position. Governmental funds report the effect of premiums, discounts and similar items when debt is first issued, whereas these amounts are deferred and amortized in the statement of activities. The effects of these items are as follows:			
Repayment of the principal of long-term debt Amortization of premium on long-term debt	\$ 1,318,604 15,168		1,333,772
Some expenses reported in the statement of activities do not require the use of current financial resources and, therefore, are not reported as expenditures in governmental funds. In addition, interest on long-term debt is not recognized under the modified accrual basis of accounting until due, rather than as it accrues. The following amounts represent the net liability changes using the full accrual method of accounting:			
Pension liability Compensated absences Accrued interest on long-term debt Other post-employment benefits liability	\$ (1,022,461) (44,794) 14,563 (69,033)		(1,121,725)
Care part ampleyment borione lability	 (00,000)	\$	(397,741)
		<u> </u>	(001,111)

SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - BUDGET AND ACTUAL COMPONENT UNIT - FIRE AND RESCUE COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

DEVENUE		Original Budgeted Amounts		Final Budgeted Amounts		Actual		Variance
REVENUES	Φ.	E 004 747	Φ.	E 000 740	Φ.	0.000.504	Φ.	005.000
Taxes	\$	5,924,717	\$	5,996,716	\$	6,282,584	\$	285,868
Intergovernmental		3,728,496		4,402,300		4,356,928		(45,372)
Fines and fees		1,828,561		1,854,998		1,850,027		(4,971)
Other revenues		7,326		109,215		25,358		(83,857)
Total revenues	-	11,489,100	_	12,363,229		12,514,897		151,668
EXPENDITURES								
Public safety		10,218,183		11,153,506		11,049,536		103,970
Capital outlay:								
Public safety		1,005,151		1,043,648		1,042,152		1,496
Debt service:								
Principal		1,318,604		1,318,604		1,318,604		-
Interest and fiscal charges		261,894		261,894		261,895		(1)
Total expenditures	_	12,803,832		13,777,652		13,672,187		105,465
Deficiency of revenues								
under expenditures		(1,314,732)		(1,414,423)		(1,157,290)		257,133
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)								
Proceeds from sale of capital assets		-		80,000		20,500		(59,500)
Insurance proceeds		-		84,394		109,562		25,168
Transfers in		983,159		983,159		922,214		(60,945)
Transfers out		(922,214)		(922,214)		(922,214)		-
Total other financing sources, net		60,945		225,339		130,062		(95,277)
Net change in fund balance		(1,253,787)		(1,189,084)		(1,027,228)		161,856
FUND BALANCES, beginning of year		1,816,369		1,816,369		1,816,369		
FUND BALANCES, end of year	\$	562,582	\$	627,285	\$	789,141	\$	161,856

BALANCE SHEET COMPONENT UNIT MEMORIAL LIBRARY JUNE 30, 2021

ASSETS	General			Special Revenue Fund		Total	
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	193,847	\$	9,219	\$	203,066	
Prepaid expenditures	Ψ	14,924	Ψ	-	Ψ	14,924	
Total assets	\$	208,771	\$	9,219	\$	217,990	
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES							
LIABILITIES							
Accounts payable	\$	5,952	\$	6,742	\$	12,694	
Accrued payroll and benefits		15,243		-		15,243	
Unearned revenue		3,009		-		3,009	
Total liabilities		24,204		6,742		30,946	
FUND BALANCES							
Nonspendable		14,924		-		14,924	
Restricted		-		2,477		2,477	
Unassigned		169,643		-		169,643	
Total fund balances		184,567		2,477		187,044	
Total liabilities and fund balances	\$	208,771	\$	9,219	\$	217,990	

RECONCILIATION OF THE GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS BALANCE SHEET TO THE STATEMENT OF NET POSITION COMPONENT UNIT – MEMORIAL LIBRARY JUNE 30, 2021

Total Memorial Library fund balance:		\$ 187,044
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of net position are different because of the following:		
Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and, therefore, are not reported in the government funds.		308,776
Deferred outflows of resources are not due and payable in the current period and, therefore, are not reported in the funds. These deferred outflows of resources consist of pension related experience differences, assumption changes, and differences between projected and actual earnings on plan investments:		
Deferred outflows related to pensions Deferred outflows related to other post-employment benefits	\$ 170,457 75,245	245,702
Long-term liabilities are not due and payable in the current period and, therefore, are not reported in the funds:		
Compensated absences Net pension liability Total other post-employment benefits liability	\$ (18,430) (915,621) (528,849)	(1,462,900)
Deferred inflows of resources are not available to pay for current period expenditures and, therefore, are not reported in the funds. These deferred inflows of resources consist of pension related differences between projected and actual earnings on plan investments.		
Deferred inflows related to pensions Deferred inflows related to other post-employment benefits	\$ (14,580) (44,381)	 (58,961)
Net position of governmental activities		\$ (780,339)

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES COMPONENT UNIT - MEMORIAL LIBRARY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

DEVENUE			Special enue Fund	Total		
REVENUES Intergovernmental	\$	680,315	\$	100,000	\$	780,315
Fines and fees	Ψ	20,517	Ψ	100,000	Ψ	20,517
Other income		35,664		53		35,717
Total revenues		736,496		100,053		836,549
EXPENDITURES						
Current:		074 700		100.010		775 050
Recreation and culture		674,733		100,619		775,352
Capital outlay		3,936	-	100.010		3,936
Total expenditures		678,669		100,619		779,288
Net change in fund balances		57,827		(566)		57,261
Fund balances, beginning of year		126,740		3,043		129,783
Fund balances, end of year	\$	184,567	\$	2,477	\$	187,044

RECONCILIATION OF THE STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES OF GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS TO THE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES - COMPONENT UNIT - MEMORIAL LIBRARY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

Net change in fund balances - total governmental funds		\$ 57,261
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of activities are different because:		
Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures. However, in the statement of activities, the cost of those assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives and reported as depreciation expense.		
Capital outlay Depreciation expense	\$ 92,150 (105,925)	(13,775)
Some expenses reported in the statement of activities do not require the use of current financial resources and, therefore, are not reported as expenditures in governmental funds. In addition, interest on long-term debt is not recognized under the modified accrual basis of accounting until due, rather than as it accrues. The following amounts represent the net liability changes using the full accrual method of accounting:		
Pension liability	\$ (52,503) 3.468	
Compensated absences Other post-employment benefits liability	 (45,876)	 (94,911)
		\$ (51,425)

SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - BUDGET AND ACTUAL COMPONENT UNIT - MEMORIAL LIBRARY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

	E	Original Budgeted Amounts	Final Sudgeted Amounts		Actual	,	Variance
REVENUES	•			•		•	
Intergovernmental	\$	679,783	\$ 780,315	\$	780,315	\$	-
Fines and fees		-	-		20,517		20,517
Other revenues		<u>-</u>	 21,387		35,717		14,330
Total revenues		679,783	801,702		836,549		34,847
EXPENDITURES Current:							
Recreation and culture		683,063	805,481		775,352		30,129
Capital outlay		-	-		3,936		(3,936)
Total expenditures		683,063	805,481		779,288		26,193
Net change in fund balance		(3,280)	(3,779)		57,261		61,040
FUND BALANCES, beginning of year		129,783	129,783		129,783		
FUND BALANCES, end of year	\$	126,503	\$ 126,004	\$	187,044	\$	61,040

COUNTY/MUNICIPAL NAME UNIFORM SCHEDULE OF COURT FINES, ASSESSMENTS AND SURCHARGES (per ACT 96) For The Year Ended June 30, 2021

FOR THE STATE TREASURER'S OFFICE:

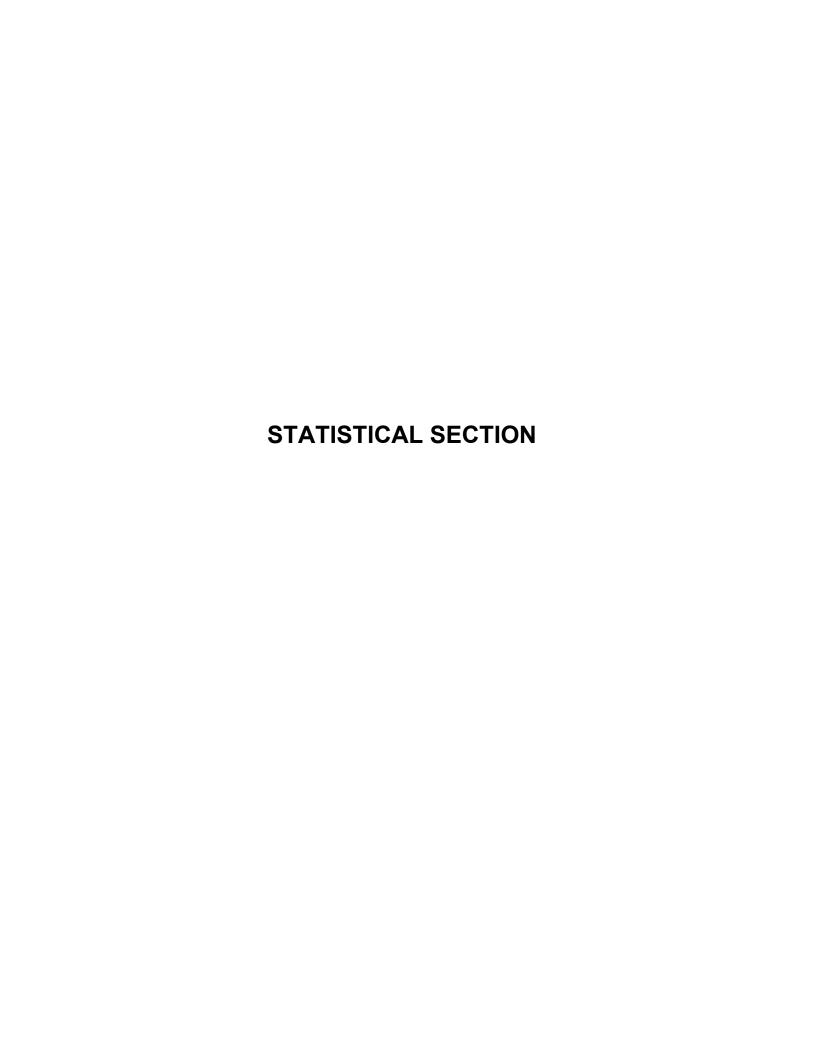
COUNTY / MUNICIPAL FUNDS COLLECTED BY CLERK OF COURT	General Sessions	_]	Magistrate Court	<u>N</u>	Municipal Court	<u>Total</u>
Court Fines and Assessments:						
Court fines and assessments collected	\$ 390,017.59	\$	507,923.96	\$	-	\$ 897,941.55
Court fines and assessments remitted to State Treasurer	\$ (218,390.13)	\$	(256,038.64)	\$	-	\$ (474,428.77)
Total Court Fines and Assessments retained	\$ 171,627.46	\$	251,885.32	\$	-	\$ 423,512.78
Surcharges and Assessments retained for victim services:						
Surcharges collected and retained	\$ 12,949.22	\$	9,022.58	\$	-	\$ 21,971.80
Assessments retained	\$ 460.20	\$	19,861.49	\$	-	\$ 20,321.69
Total Surcharges and Assessments retained for victim services	\$ 13,409.42	\$	28,884.07	\$	-	\$ 42,293.49

FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF CRIME VICTIM COMPENSATION (DCVC)

VICTIM SERVICE FUNDS COLLECTED	<u>Municipal</u>	<u>County</u>	<u>Total</u>
Carryforward from Previous Year – Beginning Balance		\$ 159,462.81	\$ 155,388.83
Victim Service Revenue:			
Victim Service Fines Retained by City/County Treasurer	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Victim Service Assessments Retained by City/County Treasurer	\$ -	\$ 28,884.07	\$ 28,884.07
Victim Service Surcharges Retained by City/County Treasurer	\$ -	\$ 13,409.42	\$ 13,409.42
Interest Earned	\$ -	\$ 754.53	\$ 754.53
Grant Funds Received			
Grant from:	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
General Funds Transferred to Victim Service Fund	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Contribution Received from Victim Service Contracts:			
(1) Town of Edisto Beach	\$ -	\$ 7,660.65	\$ 7,660.65
(2) Town of Cottageville	\$ -	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 10,000.00
(3) City of	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Total Funds Allocated to Victim Service Fund + Beginning Balance (A)	\$ -	\$ 220,171.48	\$ 216,097.50

COUNTY/MUNICIPAL NAME UNIFORM SCHEDULE OF COURT FINES, ASSESSMENTS AND SURCHARGES (per ACT 96) For The Year Ended June 30, 2021

Expenditures for Victim Service Program:	Municipal	County	Total
Salaries and Benefits	\$ -	\$ 73,758.93	\$ 73,758.93
Operating Expenditures	\$ -	\$ 11,030.16	\$ 11,030.16
Victim Service Contract(s):			
(1) Entity's Name	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
(2) Entity's Name	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Victim Service Donation(s):			
(1) Domestic Violence Shelter:	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
(2) Rape Crisis Center: Hopeful Horizons	\$ -		\$ -
(3) Other local direct crime victims service agency:	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Transferred to General Fund	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Total Expenditures from Victim Service Fund/Program (B)	\$ -	\$ 84,789.09	\$ 84,789.09
Total Victim Service Funds Retained by Municipal/County Treasurer (A-B)	\$ -	\$ 135,382.39	\$ 135,382.39
Less: Prior Year Fund Deficit Repayment	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Carryforward Funds – End of Year	\$ -	\$ 135,382.39	\$ 135,382.39



STATISTICAL SECTION

This part of the Colleton County, South Carolina annual comprehensive financial report presents detailed information as a context for understanding what the information in the financial statements, notes disclosures and required supplementary information says about the County's overall financial health.

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help the reader understand how the County's financial information relates to the services	
the County provides and the activities it performs.	

Sources: Unless otherwise noted, the information in these schedules is derived from the annual comprehensive financial reports for the relevant year.

NET POSITION BY COMPONENT LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS

	Fiscal Year																
		2012		2013		2014		2015		2016		2017		2018	2019	2020	2021
Governmental activities Net investment in capital																	
assets Restricted Unrestricted	\$	28,162,225 10,192,511 12,627,357	\$	29,208,570 8,976,701 10,997,674	\$	31,257,962 10,305,751 14,202,852	\$	33,464,047 9,738,050 (8,369,151)	\$	31,778,627 17,017,936 (11,885,105)	\$	37,187,490 12,733,361 (9,606,502)	\$	35,243,087 14,691,101 (13,477,153)	\$ 40,730,332 7,998,775 (14,118,289)	\$ 42,289,669 8,295,818 (17,448,244)	\$ 43,815,008 10,571,627 (18,318,223
Total governmental activities net position	\$	50,982,093	\$	49,182,945	\$	55,766,565	\$	34,832,946	\$	36,911,458	\$	40,314,349	\$	36,457,035	\$ 34,610,818	\$ 33,137,243	\$ 36,068,412

Source: County Audit Reports

CHANGES IN NET POSITION LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS (accrual basis of accounting)

						al Year				
	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Expenses										
Governmental activities:										
General government	\$ 8,000,488	. , ,	\$ 10,740,147	. , ,	. , ,	. , ,	. , ,	\$ 9,253,826	\$ 10,607,610	\$ 10,882,564
Judicial	4,996,680	4,594,583	4,957,014	5,255,325	5,871,221	6,309,402	6,498,833	6,194,472	6,856,354	7,005,856
Public safety	8,202,681	8,410,210	8,589,140	8,642,672	8,319,638	8,702,190	13,309,631	14,133,924	15,820,923	15,683,920
Roads and bridges	2,320,046	2,496,358	4,182,236	4,949,171	6,405,248	2,975,077	3,398,083	4,699,060	7,154,129	6,192,936
Solid waste	2,280,816	2,449,740	2,568,610	2,509,851	2,418,936	2,575,815	3,215,275	3,903,706	4,104,787	4,403,242
Recreation and culture	1,036,373	1,313,153	1,743,106	2,906,984	2,627,302	2,927,170	3,825,057	4,813,076	4,691,384	4,684,331
Health and human services	1,672,744	1,789,799	1,925,374	1,928,313	1,908,438	1,888,520	2,392,807	2,249,725	2,734,348	3,738,071
Economic development	2,027,728	3,373,628	1,569,363	1,568,862	1,650,684	1,377,821	11,530,791	7,777,710	1,943,153	1,194,174
Intergovernmental	3,130,391	3,360,676	3,661,372	3,836,524	5,590,873	9,763,973	-	-	-	-
Interest and fiscal changes	560,225	500,152	437,611	469,185	895,063	759,085	704,723	622,477	761,664	659,989
Totals expenses	34,228,172	36,466,771	40,373,973	40,878,087	44,915,371	47,089,081	53,303,669	53,647,976	54,674,352	54,445,083
Revenues										
Governmental activities:										
Charges for services										
General government	407,482	483,659	568,195	531,064	1,231,180	1,407,234	1,547,365	1,583,830	1,657,588	1,450,666
Judicial	2,852,878	2,769,668	1,159,451	1,117,461	1,058,359	1,090,259	1,004,415	987,001	837,494	724,092
Public safety	352,108	364,705	357,982	342,051	282,939	296,497	1,234,198	1,229,173	1,558,802	1,544,459
Roads and bridges	964,525	1,015,102	911,965	895,833	934,318	1,071,442	1,031,641	967,055	959,775	1,113,770
Solid waste	1,150,138	1,636,460	1,737,436	1,802,512	2,071,414	2,150,225	2,035,603	2,383,073	2,446,487	2,494,106
Recreation and culture	175,987	210,835	330,566	326,236	464,510	500,940	987,145	685,064	601,487	828,465
Health and human services	725,761	627,354	633,729	33,107	25,911	40,276	39,191	39,310	33,188	-
Economic development	-	-	1,541,360	677,045	-	-	-	-	-	-
Operating grants and contributions	2,102,187	3,073,637	9,860,851	8,629,703	11,726,799	12,448,200	9,796,813	8,959,746	11,937,834	14,117,874
Capital grants and contributions	1,438,292	-	-	4,473,000	-	-	315,071	2,303,722	81,496	940,550
General revenues:										
Taxes	24,538,580	22,956,394	21,029,359	21,343,703	27,045,537	28,691,017	29,319,480	30,191,429	30,286,642	32,152,665
Grants and contributions not										
restricted to specific program	1,197,122	1,430,665	1,436,657	1,445,663	1,875,873	1,508,783	2,577,176	1,810,480	2,024,709	1,701,639
Interest and investment earnings	79,474	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Miscellaneous	311,507	271,784	438,004	428,830	724,951	1,287,099	638,280	661,876	775,275	327,713
Gain (loss) on sale of assets	227,984	66,667	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Transfer in (out)	-	(52,796)	90,713	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total revenues	36,524,025	34,854,134	40,096,268	42,046,208	47,441,791	50,491,972	50,526,378	51,801,759	53,200,777	57,395,999
Change in net position	2,295,853	(1,612,637)	(277,705)	1,168,121	2,526,420	3,402,891	(2,777,291)	(1,846,217)	(1,473,575)	2,950,916
Net position - beginning	48,686,240	50,982,093	49,182,945	55,766,565	34,832,946	36,911,458	40,314,349	36,457,035	34,610,818	33,137,243
Prior period adjustment	-,,	(186,511)	6,861,325	(22,101,740)			(1,080,023)		- ,,	(19,747)
Net position - ending	\$ 50,982,093	\$ 49,182,945	\$ 55,766,565	\$ 34,832,946	\$ 36,911,458	\$ 40,314,349	\$ 36,457,035	\$ 34,610,818	\$ 33,137,243	\$ 36,068,412

Source: County Audit Reports

Note 1: Net position was restated at June 30, 2015 for GASB Statement No. 68, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions.

Note 2: Net position was restated at June 30, 2018 for GASB Statement No. 75, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Post-employment Benefits Other Than Pensions.

FUND BALANCES - GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS

(modified accrual basis of accounting)

					Fisca	ıl Ye	ar				
	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016		2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
GENERAL FUND											
Non-spendable	\$ 6,718	\$ 6,076	\$ 14,004	\$ 10,534	\$ 11,570	\$	3,333	\$ 258,279	\$ 280,929	\$ 375,765	\$ 400,434
Restricted	204,307	2,101	362,911	363,272	363,636		364,000	797,008	797,008	797,088	395,850
Committed	-	_	-	_	-		219,674	-	_	-	-
Assigned	-	-	695,942	893,097	968,193		199,057	-	-	-	-
Unassigned	8,975,864	7,921,046	5,981,162	5,746,897	7,085,015		7,739,608	8,158,084	8,420,259	7,787,399	9,131,378
Total General Fund	\$ 9,186,889	\$ 7,929,223	\$ 7,054,019	\$ 7,013,800	\$ 8,428,414	\$	8,525,672	\$ 9,213,371	\$ 9,498,196	\$ 8,960,252	\$ 9,927,662
CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND											
Non-spendable	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 2,700,933	\$ 2,922,238	\$ -	\$	-	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Restricted	-	-	5,214,418	4,954,705	10,170,294		4,504,276	5,478,472	435,104	214,746	362,730
Committed	 -	-	4,221,199	34,062,547	29,554,382		26,972,788	16,873,105	 14,074,528	 9,804,070	9,765,180
Total Capital Projects Fund	\$ 	\$ 	\$ 12,136,550	\$ 41,939,490	\$ 39,724,676	\$	31,477,064	\$ 22,351,577	\$ 14,509,632	\$ 10,018,816	\$ 10,127,910
FUNDS											
Non-spendable	\$ 4,338,743	\$ 7,728,952	\$ 2,027,489	\$ 1,497,835	\$ 6,484,006	\$	7,865,085	\$ 22,397	\$ 15,146	\$ 19,142	\$ 22,532
Restricted	1,873,050	3,136,266	1,238,084	831,384	573,094		594,006	8,415,621	1,772,320	7,318,569	10,115,541
Committed	-	567,675	38,487	-	-		-	416,430	213,692	9,906,021	9,938,673
Assigned	6,193,164	162,302	1,811,461	1,625,160	1,485,895		1,503,575	1,136,948	886,929	1,187,171	1,185,292
Total All Other	·									 	
Governmental Funds	\$ 12,404,957	\$ 11,595,195	\$ 5,115,521	\$ 3,954,379	\$ 8,542,995	\$	9,962,666	\$ 9,991,396	\$ 2,888,087	\$ 18,430,903	\$ 21,262,038

Source: County Audit Reports

CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES – GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS

(modified accrual basis of accounting)

Fines and fees Intergovernmental Interest Other	2,021,074 6,266,017 79,470 515,179 34,205,006 7,344,982 2,122,867 7,440,052 1,655,724 1,972,315	2013 \$ 23,885,157 7,107,783 4,504,302 - 173,666 35,670,908 7,688,345 4,157,881 7,468,560 1,833,460	\$ 21,090,421 7,212,428 11,297,508 300,227 39,900,584 10,293,376 4,456,189 7,723,408	\$ 21,299,184 10,075,366 5,811,340 - 302,635 37,488,525 8,357,765 4,658,249	\$ 27,396,764 13,602,672 6,030,559 627,055 47,657,050 8,705,075	\$ 28,629,297 13,956,983 6,516,583 - 1,239,266 50,342,129	2018 \$ 29,130,415 6,465,956 13,534,245 - 1,121,298 50,251,914 8,462,845	\$ 30,142,378 6,760,008 13,122,440 - 1,729,253 51,754,079 8,920,357	6,586,845 15,383,606 - 862,474 53,253,755	\$ 33,041,207 7,073,699 16,070,709 - 958,647 57,144,262
Taxes \$ Fines and fees Intergovernmental Interest Other Total revenues Expenditures Current: General government Judicial Public safety Roads and bridges Solid waste Recreation and culture	2,021,074 6,266,017 79,470 515,179 34,205,006 7,344,982 2,122,867 7,440,052 1,655,724 1,972,315	7,107,783 4,504,302 173,666 35,670,908 7,688,345 4,157,881 7,468,560	7,212,428 11,297,508 300,227 39,900,584 10,293,376 4,456,189	10,075,366 5,811,340 - 302,635 37,488,525 8,357,765	13,602,672 6,030,559 627,055 47,657,050 8,705,075	13,956,983 6,516,583 1,239,266 50,342,129	6,465,956 13,534,245 - 1,121,298 50,251,914	6,760,008 13,122,440 - 1,729,253 51,754,079	6,586,845 15,383,606 - 862,474 53,253,755	7,073,699 16,070,709 - 958,647 57,144,262
Fines and fees Intergovernmental Interest Other Total revenues Expenditures Current: General government Judicial Public safety Roads and bridges Solid waste Recreation and culture	2,021,074 6,266,017 79,470 515,179 34,205,006 7,344,982 2,122,867 7,440,052 1,655,724 1,972,315	7,107,783 4,504,302 173,666 35,670,908 7,688,345 4,157,881 7,468,560	7,212,428 11,297,508 300,227 39,900,584 10,293,376 4,456,189	10,075,366 5,811,340 - 302,635 37,488,525 8,357,765	13,602,672 6,030,559 627,055 47,657,050 8,705,075	13,956,983 6,516,583 1,239,266 50,342,129	6,465,956 13,534,245 - 1,121,298 50,251,914	6,760,008 13,122,440 - 1,729,253 51,754,079	6,586,845 15,383,606 - 862,474 53,253,755	7,073,699 16,070,709 - 958,647 57,144,262
Intergovernmental Interest Other Total revenues Expenditures Current: General government Judicial Public safety Roads and bridges Solid waste Recreation and culture	6,266,017 79,470 515,179 34,205,006 7,344,982 2,122,867 7,440,052 1,655,724 1,972,315	4,504,302 173,666 35,670,908 7,688,345 4,157,881 7,468,560	11,297,508 300,227 39,900,584 10,293,376 4,456,189	5,811,340 - 302,635 37,488,525 8,357,765	6,030,559 - 627,055 47,657,050 8,705,075	6,516,583 - 1,239,266 50,342,129	13,534,245 - 1,121,298 50,251,914	13,122,440 - 1,729,253 51,754,079	15,383,606 - 862,474 53,253,755	16,070,709 - 958,647 57,144,262
Interest Other Total revenues Expenditures Current: General government Judicial Public safety Roads and bridges Solid waste Recreation and culture	79,470 515,179 34,205,006 7,344,982 2,122,867 7,440,052 1,655,724 1,972,315	7,688,345 4,157,881 7,468,560	300,227 39,900,584 10,293,376 4,456,189	302,635 37,488,525 8,357,765	627,055 47,657,050 8,705,075	1,239,266 50,342,129	1,121,298 50,251,914	1,729,253 51,754,079	862,474 53,253,755	958,647 57,144,262
Other Total revenues Expenditures Current: General government Judicial Public safety Roads and bridges Solid waste Recreation and culture	515,179 34,205,006 7,344,982 2,122,867 7,440,052 1,655,724 1,972,315	7,688,345 4,157,881 7,468,560	39,900,584 10,293,376 4,456,189	37,488,525 8,357,765	47,657,050 8,705,075	50,342,129	50,251,914	51,754,079	53,253,755	57,144,262
Total revenues Expenditures Current: General government Judicial Public safety Roads and bridges Solid waste Recreation and culture	7,344,982 2,122,867 7,440,052 1,655,724 1,972,315	7,688,345 4,157,881 7,468,560	39,900,584 10,293,376 4,456,189	37,488,525 8,357,765	47,657,050 8,705,075	50,342,129	50,251,914	51,754,079	53,253,755	57,144,262
Expenditures Current: General government Judicial Public safety Roads and bridges Solid waste Recreation and culture	7,344,982 2,122,867 7,440,052 1,655,724 1,972,315	7,688,345 4,157,881 7,468,560	10,293,376 4,456,189	8,357,765	8,705,075				· · · · ·	
Current: General government Judicial Public safety Roads and bridges Solid waste Recreation and culture	2,122,867 7,440,052 1,655,724 1,972,315	4,157,881 7,468,560	4,456,189			9,233,056	8 462 845	8 920 357	40 400 000	40.005.343
General government Judicial Public safety Roads and bridges Solid waste Recreation and culture	2,122,867 7,440,052 1,655,724 1,972,315	4,157,881 7,468,560	4,456,189			9,233,056	8 462 845	8 920 357	40 400 000	40.005.040
Judicial Public safety Roads and bridges Solid waste Recreation and culture	2,122,867 7,440,052 1,655,724 1,972,315	4,157,881 7,468,560	4,456,189			9,233,056	8 462 845	8 920 357	40 400 000	40.005.010
Judicial Public safety Roads and bridges Solid waste Recreation and culture	7,440,052 1,655,724 1,972,315	7,468,560		4,658,249				0,520,557	10,108,898	10,395,349
Roads and bridges Solid waste Recreation and culture	1,655,724 1,972,315		7,723,408		5,275,752	5,679,392	6,007,996	6,152,386	6,216,595	6,342,332
Roads and bridges Solid waste Recreation and culture	1,655,724 1,972,315			7,668,476	7,348,907	7,713,186	8,122,142	8,906,780	10,383,578	9,861,093
Solid waste Recreation and culture	1,972,315		3,466,507	4,257,082	5,644,622	2,096,123	1,751,263	2,016,790	2,044,893	2,484,941
Recreation and culture		2,156,449	2,240,650	2,208,389	2,127,950	2,256,218	2,585,498	3,168,898	3,648,480	4,000,181
	872,178	1,055,271	1,300,883	2,462,699	2,038,864	2,329,422	2,163,441	2,520,632	2,082,911	2,362,008
	833.863	1,674,861	1,794,798	1,797,883	1,780,141	1,751,754	1,875,826	2,142,595	2.656.161	3,505,444
Economic development	1,864,496	3,101,594	1,097,322	1,110,361	1,186,504	902,674	1,986,024	5,355,199	1,812,260	1,111,992
Intergovernmental	6,006,861	3,360,676	3,661,372	3,836,524	5,590,873	9,763,973	7,560,938	10,012,911	11,088,354	8,075,258
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Capital outlay	5,315,933	3,082,720	3,332,868	7,569,037	3,178,051	11,689,652	13,281,825	7,049,156	1,947,079	386,473
Debt service:		0.040.004	2 22 4 272	0.500.400	0.000.505	4 000 400	4 005 000	0.000 710	E 400 000	5 400 000
Principal	5,325,472	2,246,834	2,294,878	2,528,493	2,286,585	4,860,166	4,925,632	6,990,718	5,108,333	5,198,333
Interest	388,136	536,892	466,532	393,567	768,914	854,370	795,505	722,984	886,356	779,712
·	41,142,879	38,363,543	42,128,783	46,848,525	45,932,238	59,129,986	59,518,935	63,959,406	57,983,898	54,503,116
	(6,937,873)	(2,692,635)	(2,228,199)	(9,360,000)	1,724,812	(8,787,857)	(9,267,021)	(12,205,327)	(4,730,143)	2,641,146
Other financing sources (uses)										
Proceeds from sale of capital assets	53,082	66,667	90,713	46,578	184,544	-	143,459	194	131,655	18,332
Issuance of debt	6,519,794	-	-	33,362,384	5,395,000	2,000,000	582,353	2,500,000	-	581,093
Donation of capital asset	-	-	-	4,473,000	-	-	-	-	-	-
Legal settlement	-	-	-	7,411	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bond premium	-	-	-	-	51,278	-	-	-	-	-
Payment to refund bond escrow	-	_	-	-	(3,710,000)	-	-	-	-	-
Gain/loss on sale of asset	_	_	_	_	5,295	_	_	_	_	_
Insurance proceeds	177,318	98,118	137,777	72,206	137,487	57,074	132,251	39,047	99,385	578,638
Transfers in	9.559.323	4,251,121	6,220,775	4,255,156	8,423,212	6,530,977	6,401,391	6,305,753	5.497.580	5.593.537
Transfers out	(9,559,323)	(4,303,917)	(6,220,775)	(4,255,156)	(8,423,212)	(6,530,977)	(6,401,391)	(6,305,753)	(5,497,580)	(5,593,537)
Total other financing sources	6.750.194	111.989	228,490	37,961,579	2,063,604	2,057,074	858,063	2,539,241	231,040	1,178,063
Net change in fund balances	(187,679)	(2,580,646)	(1,999,709)	28,601,579	3,788,416	(6,730,783)	(8,408,958)	(9,666,086)	(4,499,103)	3,819,209
•	,			20,001,019	5,700,410	(0,730,703)	(0,400,330)	(3,000,000)	(4,433,103)	5,013,209
Other changes in fund balance	2,669,997	513,218	6,781,381		-	-	40.005.000	-	-	07.004.155
, 3 3	19,109,528	21,591,846	19,524,418	24,306,090	52,907,669	56,696,085	49,965,302	41,556,344	31,890,258	27,391,155
Prior period adjustment	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	-				<u> </u>		<u>-</u>	(19,747)
Fund balances, ending \$	21,591,846	\$ 19,524,418	\$ 24,306,090	\$ 52,907,669	\$ 56,696,085	\$ 49,965,302	\$ 41,556,344	\$ 31,890,258	\$ 27,391,155	\$ 31,190,617
Debt service as a percentage										
of non-capital expenditures	15.9%	7.9%	7.1%	7.4%	7.1%	12.0%	12.4%	13.6%	11.1%	11.3%

Source: County Audit Reports

ASSESSED VALUE AND ESTIMATED ACTUAL VALUE OF TAXABLE PROPERTY LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS

	Assessed Value								Total				
Fiscal Year	<u> </u>		Real Property	Personal Property Tota		Total		Real Property	Personal Property		 Total	Direct Tax Rate	
2012		\$	127,313,207	\$	44,104,392	\$	171,417,599	\$	3,677,625,787	\$	561,477,710	\$ 4,239,103,497	115.86
2013	*		124,529,285		45,681,967		170,211,252		3,677,288,314		577,742,213	4,255,030,527	115.86
2014			124,290,470		46,322,848		170,613,318		3,675,411,178		542,309,703	4,217,720,881	115.86
2015			124,833,360		38,508,140		163,341,500		3,743,314,532		459,532,616	4,202,847,148	115.86
2016			125,463,400		41,403,580		166,866,980		3,792,357,210		512,687,036	4,305,044,246	125.05
2017			126,695,930		44,408,120		171,104,050		3,848,082,492		548,235,970	4,396,318,462	125.05
2018	*		130,485,880		45,527,140		176,013,020		3,997,547,588		562,409,403	4,559,956,991	125.05
2019			132,774,320		44,873,240		177,647,560		4,085,126,499		543,980,519	4,629,107,018	126.55
2020			136,463,280		44,446,986		180,910,266		4,075,367,609		494,862,138	4,570,229,747	126.55
2021			141,139,420		52,028,116		193,167,536		2,494,924,194		607,783,263	3,102,707,457	126.55

^{*} Reassessment Year.

Source: County Auditor

DIRECT AND OVERLAPPING PROPERTY TAX RATES LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS

		County Direct Rates				Overlapp	oing Rates		
Fiscal Year	County Operations	County Debt	Total Direct Rate	School Operations	School Debt Service	County Fire Protection	County Fire Debt Service	Town of Edisto Beach	City of Walterboro
2012	108.45	7.41	115.86	104.31	46.50	30.54	20.69	19.53	79.46
2013	108.45	7.41	115.86	104.31	46.50	33.56	17.67	19.53	88.00
2014	108.45	7.41	115.86	104.31	46.50	33.56	17.67	20.23	88.00
2015	108.45	7.41	115.86	104.31	46.50	33.56	17.67	20.23	88.00
2016	114.81	10.24	125.05	110.42	49.50	33.56	22.66	20.23	88.00
2017	114.81	10.24	125.05	110.42	49.50	33.56	22.66	20.71	88.00
2018	114.81	10.24	125.05	110.42	49.50	33.56	22.66	23.44	86.40
2019	116.31	10.24	126.55	113.42	54.50	33.56	22.66	23.44	86.40
2020	116.31	10.24	126.55	116.42	54.50	33.56	22.66	24.07	86.40
2021	116.31	10.24	126.55	116.42	54.50	33.56	22.66	24.07	86.40

Source: County Auditor

PRINCIPAL PROPERTY TAXPAYERS CURRENT YEAR AND NINE YEARS AGO

			2021	2012							
	·	Taxable		Percentage of		Taxable		Percentage of			
		Assessed		Total Taxable		Assessed		Total Taxable			
Customer		Value	Rank	Assessed Value		Value	Rank	Assessed Value			
Dominion Energy South Carolina (SCE&G)	\$	8,574,800	1	4.44%	\$	N/A	-	-			
Coastal Electric Coop		3,203,080	2	1.66%		N/A	-	-			
CSX Transportation, Inc.		965,752	3	0.50%		N/A	-	-			
Weyerhaeuser Company		850,930	4	0.44%		N/A	-	-			
Central Electric Power Coop		828,650	5	0.43%		N/A	-	-			
Cellco Partnership DBA Verizon Wireless		807,930	6	0.42%		N/A	-	-			
Wyndham Vacation Resorts, Inc. Etal		752,340	7	0.39%		N/A	-	-			
Lawyers Title Insurance Corporation		753,630	8	0.39%		N/A	-	-			
Walmart Real Estate Business Trust		735,000	9	0.38%		N/A	-	-			
Cherokee Plantation Owners, Inc.		697,370	10	0.36%		N/A	-	-			
	\$	18,169,482		9.41%	\$	-		0.00%			

Source: County Auditor

N/A - Information is not available

PROPERTY TAX LEVIES AND COLLECTIONS LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS

					Collected within the Fiscal Year of the Levy				
Fiscal		Taxes Levied for the			Percentage	ollections Subsequent	 Total Collecti	tions to Date Percentage	
Year	_		Fiscal Year	 Amount	of Levy	 Years	 Amount	of Levy	
2012		\$	47,115,937	\$ 44,705,792	94.88%	\$ 1,952,575	\$ 46,658,367	99.03%	
2013	*		52,100,048	44,052,013	84.55%	7,641,945	51,693,958	99.22%	
2014			48,000,778	46,192,180	96.23%	1,557,218	47,749,398	99.48%	
2015			14,791,090	13,733,646	92.85%	840,579	14,574,225	98.53%	
2016			16,482,359	15,385,339	93.34%	980,161	16,365,500	99.29%	
2017			16,903,737	15,970,838	94.48%	784,992	16,755,830	99.13%	
2018	*		20,208,055	19,219,246	95.11%	773,746	19,992,992	98.94%	
2019			20,658,725	19,796,004	95.82%	529,760	20,325,764	98.39%	
2020			21,028,987	20,449,213	97.24%	337,316	20,786,529	97.24%	
2021			22,018,103	21,256,691	96.54%	-	21,256,691	96.54%	

Source: Delinquent Tax Collector, County Finance Office, County Auditor, County Treasurer. **Note 1** - All figures up to 2014 include County, Fire and Rescue and School District.

^{*} Reassessment year.

RATIOS OF OUTSTANDING DEBT BY TYPE LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS

	 Governmental Activities										
Fiscal Year	 General Obligation Bond		Notes Payable		Leases Payable		Special Revenue Bond		otal Primary Government	Percentage of Personal Income	Capital Per Capita
2012	\$ 8,206,240	\$	677,062	\$	2,109,152	\$	5,033,701	\$	16,026,155	13.80%	420.05
2013	7,280,000		517,977		1,526,344		4,455,000		13,779,321	11.57%	361.16
2014	6,110,000		352,290		932,153		4,090,000		11,484,443	9.44%	295.29
2015	35,012,627		1,059,759		2,535,947		3,710,000		42,318,333	33.86%	1,120.39
2016	38,989,949		880,032		1,854,089		-		41,724,070	33.39%	1,105.83
2017	35,440,618		880,032		2,473,965		-		38,794,615	31.18%	1,022.98
2018	31,897,356		880,032		1,603,333		-		34,380,721	26.60%	914.11
2019	27,138,079		-		2,680,000		-		29,818,079	22.62%	791.77
2020	22,879,822		-		1,756,667		-		24,636,489	18.03%	653.89
2021	19,111,299		-		833,292		-		19,944,591	14.22%	516.65

Source: County Audit Report, US Census Bureau

Note 1: Details of the County's outstanding debt can be found in the notes to the financial statements.

Note 2: The ratios are calculated using personal income and population for the prior calendar year.

RATIOS OF GENERAL BONDED DEBT OUTSTANDING LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS

Fiscal Year	OI	General Obligation Bonds		ss Amounts vailable in ebt Service Funds	 Total	Percentage of Estimated Taxable Value of Property	Per Capita
2012	\$	8,206,240	\$	800,657	\$ 7,405,583	4.3%	194
2013		7,280,000		1,031,180	6,248,820	3.7%	164
2014		6,110,000		919,745	5,190,255	3.0%	133
2015		35,012,627		411,973	34,600,654	21.2%	916
2016		38,989,949		5,496,753	33,493,196	20.1%	888
2017		35,440,618		6,325,794	29,114,824	17.0%	768
2018		31,897,356		7,010,933	24,886,423	14.1%	662
2019		27,138,079		5,519,838	21,618,241	12.2%	574
2020		22,879,822		6,059,526	16,820,296	9.3%	446
2021		19,111,299		7,639,063	11,472,236	5.9%	297

DIRECT AND OVERLAPPING GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES DEBT JUNE 30, 2021

Governmental Unit Debt repaid with property taxes	Out	Debt tstanding	Estimated Percentage Applicable	Estimated Share of Overlapping Debt
Colleton County School District	\$	72,559,952	100.00%	\$ 72,559,952
Fire and Rescue Commission		8,463,983	100.00%	8,463,983
City of Walterboro		2,543,945	100.00%	2,543,945
Town of Edisto Beach		1,805,000	100.00%	1,805,000
Subtotal overlapping debt		85,372,880		85,372,880
County direct debt		19,944,591	100.00%	19,944,591
Total direct and overlapping debt	\$	105,317,471		\$ 105,317,471

Source: Assessed value data used to estimate applicable percentage provided by Colleton County Auditor.

Note: Debt outstanding data provided by each governmental unit.

LEGAL DEBT MARGIN INFORMATION LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS

									Fisca	al Ye	ear				
	2012		2013		2014	_	2015	_	2016		2017	2018	2019	 2020	2021
Debt limit	\$ 10,068,526	\$	10,536,276	\$	13,649,065	\$	13,067,320	\$	13,349,358	\$	13,688,324	\$ 14,081,042	\$ 14,211,805	\$ 14,472,821	\$ 15,453,403
Total net debt applicable to limit	 8,206,240		7,280,000		6,110,000	_	4,740,000		8,758,832	*	8,301,301	8,416,034	 7,370,970	6,898,164	 6,991,353
Legal debt margin	\$ 1,862,286	\$	3,256,276	\$	7,539,065	\$	8,327,320	\$	4,590,526	\$	5,387,023	\$ 5,665,008	\$ 6,840,835	\$ 7,574,657	\$ 8,462,050
Total net debt applicable to the limit as a percentage of debt limit	81.50%		69.09%		44.76%		36.27%		65.61%		60.65%	59.77%	51.87%	47.66%	45.24%
			Legal Debt Ma Total assessed	•	Calculation fo	or Fi	scal Year								\$ 193,167,536
		ı	Debt limit (8% o	of as	sessed value)										15,453,403
		I	Debt applicable	e to li	mit										 6,991,353
		ı	Legal debt mar	gin											\$ 8,462,050

Note: Under State finance law, the County's outstanding general obligation debt should not exceed 8% of the total assessed property value.

Source: County Audit Reports, County Auditor

^{*} Excludes \$29,000,000 Bond Series 2015 because voter approval was obtained for the issuance of the bonds.

PLEDGED REVENUE COVERAGE LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS

Fiscal Year	c	Debt Service Collections			1	Interest	Coverage		
2012	\$	1,287,061	\$	302,537	\$	22,783	3.96		
2013		1,361,755		578,701		218,444	1.71		
2014		1,266,976		365,000		186,708	2.30		
2015		1,253,752		1,370,000		172,260	0.81		
2016		5,487,307		1,425,000		573,371	2.75		
2017		6,003,018		3,480,000		801,890	1.40		
2018		6,159,788		4,055,000		740,378	1.28		
2019		6,441,766		4,687,353		757,213	1.18		
2020		6,559,092		4,185,000		670,685	1.35		
2021		7,465,237		4,275,000		584,694	1.54		

Source: County Auditor

DEMOGRAPHIC STATISTICS LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS

Fiscal Year			Personal Income thousands of dollars)	 Per Capita Personal Income	Median Age	School Enrollment	Unemployment Rate Percentage
2012	38,153	\$	1,161,213	\$ 30,436	41.7	5,885	12.2%
2013	38,153		1,190,505	31,505	N/A	5,830	10.8%
2014	38,892		1,216,892	31,289	40.7	5,763	7.7%
2015	37,771		1,249,641	33,120	40.0	5,713	7.5%
2016	37,731		1,249,641	33,120	41.5	6,545	6.1%
2017	37,923		1,244,027	32,804	43.0	6,889	4.8%
2018	37,611		1,292,389	34,362	42.5	6,799	4.2%
2019	37,660		1,317,949	34,996	42.7	6,458	4.0%
2020	37,677		1,366,771	36,276	42.2	6,802	8.2%
2021	38,604		1,402,252	36,324	42.5	6,616	4.7%

Source: (1) U.S. Census Bureau

(2) S.C. Department of Employment and Workforce

N/A - Information is not available

PRINCIPAL EMPLOYERS CURRENT YEAR AND NINE YEARS AGO

		2021		2012				
Employer	FTE Employees	Rank	Percentage of Total County Employment	FTE Employees	Rank	Percentage of Total County Employment		
Employer		Num	Linployment	Linployeco	- Num	Linployment		
Colleton County School District	837	1	5.2%	1,180	1	8.1%		
Colleton County Government	417	2	2.6%	400	4	2.8%		
Colleton Medical Center	411	3	2.6%	479	2	3.3%		
Walmart	250	4	1.6%	476	3	3.3%		
Veterans' Victory House	162	5	1.0%	N/A	N/A	N/A		
Cracker Barrel	122	6	0.8%	110	5	0.8%		
City of Walterboro	113	7	0.7%	106	6	0.7%		
Pioneer Boats	100	8	0.6%	N/A	N/A	N/A		
Rockford Manufacturing	100	9	0.6%	N/A	N/A	N/A		
Palmetto Rural Telephone Cooperative	85	10	0.5%	N/A	N/A	N/A		
Carolina Visuals, LLC	64	N/A	0.4%	N/A	N/A	N/A		
Bi-Lo	N/A	N/A	N/A	84	7	0.6%		
Reid's	N/A	N/A	N/A	70	8	0.5%		
South Carolina Department of Transportation	N/A	N/A	N/A	60	9	0.4%		
Ruby Tuesday	N/A	N/A	N/A	57	10	0.4%		
Total								
Total of Top Ten Employees	2,661		16.6%	3,022		20.9%		

Data Source:

(1) Colleton County Economic Development

(2) U.S. Census Bureau

N/A - Information is not available.

FULL-TIME EQUIVALENT COUNTY GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES BY FUNCTION LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS

		Fiscal Year								
	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Function		_					_			-
General government	85.5	93.0	77.0	76.5	84.0	79.0	78.0	81.0	85.3	87.0
Judicial	20.0	18.5	58.0	55.0	78.0	80.5	74.0	71.0	79.7	76.0
Public safety	133.0	132.0	116.0	103.0	135.0	144.5	115.0	123.0	137.6	144.0
Roads and bridges	27.5	27.5	17.0	15.0	25.0	24.0	23.0	23.0	23.0	22.0
Solid waste	15.5	15.5	12.0	23.5	44.0	31.2	14.5	10.0	12.2	14.0
Recreation and culture	10.0	9.0	13.0	15.0	28.0	23.0	19.0	20.0	20.2	21.0
Health and human services	1.5	1.5	2.0	6.0	17.0	6.5	5.0	5.0	2.0	9.0
Economic development	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0
Alcohol and drug	10.5	10.5	9.0	8.5	11.0	8.0	9.0	10.0	14.0	14.0
Library	4.0	5.0	10.0	12.5	16.0	12.8	10.0	10.0	13.0	12.0
Fire and rescue	75.5	77.5	76.0	77.5	82.0	78.0	83.0	85.0	85.0	92.0
Total	385.00	392.00	392.00	394.50	522.00	489.50	432.50	440.00	473.85	493.0

Source: County Human Resource Department.

OPERATING INDICATORS BY FUNCTION LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS

	Fiscal Year									
	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
General Government	N/A									
Judicial	N/A									
Public Safety EMS Transports	N/A 6,170	N/A 6,137	N/A 6,542	N/A 6,749	N/A 7,358	N/A 7,416	N/A 7,523	N/A 7,688	N/A 7,887	N/A 9,269
Roads and Bridges	N/A									
Solid Waste	N/A									
Recreation and Culture	N/A									
Health and Human Services	N/A									
Economic Development	N/A									

N/A - Information is not available. Schedule is currently a work in progress and will be updated in subsequent years as information becomes available.

CAPITAL ASSET STATISTICS BY FUNCTION/PROGRAM LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS

	Fiscal Year													
Function/Program	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021				
Recreation and Culture														
Community Centers	N/A	13	13	13	13	13	14	14	15	15				
Recreation Complex	N/A	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
Golf Course	N/A	-	-	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
Emergency Services														
Number of Fire Stations	30	33	34	34	34	34	34	34	34	34				
Number of Fire Trucks	109	119	106	106	115	103	119	119	119	118				
Number of Ambulances	11	12	12	12	16	11	14	14	14	14				
Streets and Highways														
Miles of Roads	347.8	347.8	362.7	362.7	362.7	362.7	352.7	352.7	352.7	353				
Collection Sites	13	13	13	13	13	15	15	15	15	15				
Sheriff														
Patrol Units	86	86	86	86	92	96	88	88	88	90				
Health, Education and Welfare														
County Libraries	1	1	1	1	1	2	3	3	3	3				
Book Mobiles	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				

Sources: County Engineering, Fleet, and Facilities Departments.

N/A - Information is not available.

SINGLE AUDIT REPORT

FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

SINGLE AUDIT REPORT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING AND ON COMPLIANCE AND OTHER MATTERS BASED ON AN AUDIT OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS PERFORMED IN ACCORDANCE WITH GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS

Colleton County Council of Colleton County Colleton County, South Carolina Walterboro, South Carolina

We have audited, in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, the financial statements of the governmental activities, the aggregate discretely presented component units, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of **Colleton County**, **South Carolina** (the "County"), as of and for the year ended June 30, 2021, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise Colleton County, South Carolina's basic financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated December 27, 2021.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements, we considered the County's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) as a basis for designing audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing our opinions on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the County's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the County's internal control.

A deficiency in internal control exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct misstatements on a timely basis. A material weakness is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control, such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the entity's financial statements will not be prevented, or detected and corrected on a timely basis. A significant deficiency is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control that is less severe than a material weakness, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies. Given these limitations, during our audit, we did not identify any deficiencies in internal control that we consider to be material weaknesses. However, material weaknesses may exist that have not been identified.

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the County's financial statements are free from material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the financial statements. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit and, accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

Purpose of this Report

The purpose of this report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control or on compliance. This report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the entity's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.

Mauldin & Jenkins, LLC

Savannah, Georgia December 27, 2021



INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON COMPLIANCE FOR EACH MAJOR PROGRAM AND ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER COMPLIANCE REQUIRED BY THE UNIFORM GUIDANCE

Colleton County Council
of Colleton County
Colleton County, South Carolina
Walterboro, South Carolina

Report on Compliance for Each Major Federal Program

We have audited **Colleton County**, **South Carolina's** (the "County") compliance with the types of compliance requirements described in the *OMB Compliance Supplement* that could have a direct and material effect on each of the County's major federal programs for the year ended June 30, 2021. The County's major federal programs are identified in the summary of auditor's results section of the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs.

Management's Responsibility

Management is responsible for compliance with the federal statutes, regulations, and the terms and conditions of its federal awards applicable to its federal programs.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on compliance for each of the County's major federal programs based on our audit of the types of compliance requirements referred to above. We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America; the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States; and the audit requirements of Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards* (Uniform Guidance). Those standards and the Uniform Guidance require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether noncompliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on a major federal program occurred. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence about the County's compliance with those requirements and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion on compliance for each major federal program. However, our audit does not provide a legal determination of the County's compliance.

Opinion on The Major Federal Program

In our opinion, the County complied, in all material respects, with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on its other major federal program for the year ended June 30, 2021.

Report on Internal Control Over Compliance

Management of the County is responsible for establishing and maintaining effective internal control over compliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above. In planning and performing our audit of compliance, we considered the County's internal control over compliance with the types of requirements that could have a direct and material effect on each major federal program to determine the auditing procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing an opinion on compliance for each major federal program, and to test and report on internal control over compliance in accordance with the Uniform Guidance, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control over compliance. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the County's internal control over compliance.

A deficiency in internal control over compliance exists when the design or operation of a control over compliance does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct, noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program on a timely basis. A material weakness in internal control over compliance is a deficiency, or combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance, such that there is a reasonable possibility that material noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program will not be prevented, or detected and corrected, on a timely basis. A significant deficiency in internal control over compliance is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program that is less severe than a material weakness in internal control over compliance, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

Our consideration of internal control over compliance was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control over compliance that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over compliance that we consider to be material weaknesses. However, material weaknesses may exist that have not been identified.

Purpose of this Report

The purpose of this report on internal control over compliance is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over compliance and the results of that testing based on the requirements of the Uniform Guidance. Accordingly, this report is not suitable for any other purpose.

Report on Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards Required by the Uniform Guidance

We have audited the financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, the aggregate discretely presented component units, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the County, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2021, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the County's basic financial statements. We issued our report thereon dated December 27, 2021, which contained unmodified opinions on those financial statements. Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the basic financial statements. The accompanying schedule of expenditures of federal awards is presented for purposes of additional analysis as required by the Uniform Guidance and is not a required part of the basic financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements or to the basic financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the schedule of expenditures of federal awards is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements as a whole.

Mauldin & Jenkins, LLC

Savannah, Georgia December 27, 2021

SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

Federal Grantor/ Pass-through Grantor/ Program or Cluster Title	Federal CFDA Number	Pass-through Entity Identifying Number	Federal Expenditures	Sub-Recipient
U.S. Department of Agriculture:				
Passed through S.C. Department of Social Services				
Child and Adult Care Food Program	10.558 Total 10.558	AR2-00108	\$ 56,602 56,602	\$ - -
Passed through S.C. Department of Education Office of Health and Nutrition				
Child Nutrition Cluster Summer Food Service Program for Children	10.559	SF-6388	1,846,543	_
	Total 10.559		1,846,543	
Total U.S. Department of Agriculture			1,903,145	
U.S. Department of Commerce: Direct				
Economic Development Cluster				
EDA Economic Adjustment Assistance	11.300	04-01-07417	32,862	
Total U.S. Department of Commerce			32,862	
U.S. Department of Health and Human Services:				
Passed through S.C. Department of Social Services	93.563	C70015C-4	20.645	
Child Support Enforcement IV-D Incentive Payments Child Support Enforcement IV-D Sheriff's Department	93.563	C70015C-4	38,645 1,930	-
Child Support Enforcement IV-D Family Court	93.563	C70015C-3	159,285	-
·	Total 93.563		199,860	_
Total U.S. Department of Health and Human Services			199,860	
U.S. Department of Homeland Security:				
Passed through S.C. Department of Health and Environmental Control				
Pre-Disaster Mitigation ("PDM") Competitive Grant	97.017	PDMC-PJ-04-SC-2019-001	240,479	
	Total 97.017		240,479_	
Passed through S.C. Emergency Management Agency	07.000	000 00000 00	440 500	
Disaster Grants - Public Assistance (Presidentially Declared Disasters)	97.036 Total 97.036	029-99029-00	119,528 119,528	
	10101011000		110,020	
Passed through S.C. Emergency Management Agency Emergency Management Performance Grant	97.042	19EMPG01	61,077	
Emergency Management Performance Grant	97.042	18EMPG01	16,964	-
	Total 97.042		78,041	-
Passed through S.C. Emergency Management Agency				
Hazard Mitigation Grant	97.039	DR-4286-SC-0045	1,508	-
	Total 97.039		1,508	-
Total U.S. Department of Homeland Security			439,556	
U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development:				
Passed through S.C. Department of Commerce:				
Community Development Block Grants	14.228	4-A-20-002	193,040	-
0 1 0 1 10 10 1	14.228	4-CE-18-007	150,188	-
Community Development Block Grants	14.228 14.228	4-CI-19-004 4-NR-16-002	272,964 32,039	-
Community Development Block Grants	Total 14.228	4-NN-10-00Z	648,231	<u>-</u>
	-			
Total U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development			648,231	-

SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

Federal Grantor/ Pass-through Grantor/ Program or Cluster Title	Federal CFDA Number	Pass-through Entity Identifying Number	Federal Expenditures	Sub-Recipient
U.S. Department of Justice: Direct				
COVID-19 Coronavirus Emergency Supplemental Funding Program	16.034 Total 16.034	2020-VD-BX-1551	\$ 39,620 39,620	\$ - -
Passed through S.C. Department of Public Safety COVID-19 Coronavirus Emergency Supplemental Funding Program COVID-19 Coronavirus Emergency Supplemental Funding Program	16.034 16.034 Total 16.034	1CF20036 1CF20072	22,205 30,103 52,308	
Passed through S.C. Office of the Attorney General Crime Victim Assistance Grant Crime Victim Assistance Grant Crime Victim Assistance Grant Crime Victim Assistance Grant	16.575 16.575 16.575 16.575 Total 16.575	1V20003 1V19035 1V19069 1V17092	4,573 7,913 50,097 2,429 65,012	- - - -
Passed through S.C. Office of the Attorney General Violence Against Women Formula Grants Violence Against Women Formula Grants	16.588 16.588 Total 16.588	1K19004 1K20015	56,031 185,813 241,844	- - -
Direct Bulletproof Vest Partnership Program	16.607 Total 16.607	N/A	2,844 2,844	
Total U.S. Department of Justice			401,628	-
U.S. Department of Transportation: Direct				
Airport Improvement Program Airport Improvement Program	20.106 20.106 Total 20.106	3-45-0057-016-2017 3-45-0057-017-2019	23,563 1,625,505 1,649,068	23,563 1,625,505 1,649,068
Passed through S.C. Department of Transportation Highway Planning and Construction	20.205 Total 20.205	LPA-3-17	390,000 390,000	
Passed through S.C. Department of Parks Recreation and Tourism Recreational Trails Program	20.219 Total 20.219	P28051900219	19,602 19,602	<u>-</u>
Total U.S. Department of Transportation			2,058,670	1,649,068
U.S. Department of Treasury Direct				
Equitable Sharing Program	21.016 Total 21.016	N/A	37,004 37,004	
Passed through S.C. Department of Administration COVID-19 Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds COVID-19 Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds	21.027 21.027 Total 21.027	SA-0280 SA-0802	118,882 135,019 253,901	- -
Total U.S. Department of Treasury			290,905	
U.S. Department of the Interior				
Passed through S.C. Department of National Resources Sport Fish Restoration	15.605 Total 15.605	P24012412319	360 360	
Total U.S. Department of the Interior			360	

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SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

Federal Grantor/ Pass-through Grantor/ Program or Cluster Title	Federal CFDA Number	Pass-through Entity Identifying Number	Federal Expenditures	Sub-Recipient
J.S. National Endowment for the Humanities				
Passed through S.C. State Library Grants to States COVID-19 Grants to States	45.310 45.310 Total 45.310	IIID-19-114 IID-CA-07	\$ 528 3 531	\$ -
Total U.S. National Endowment for the Humanities			531	
J.S. National Endowment for the Arts				
Passed through S.C. Arts Commission Promotion of the Arts Partnership Agreement	45.025 Total 45.025		832 832	
Total U.S. National Endowment for the Arts			832	
Total Expenditures of Federal Awards			\$ 5,976,580	\$ 1,649,068

NOTES TO SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

NOTE 1. BASIS OF PRESENTATION

The Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards includes the federal grant activity of Colleton County, South Carolina (the "County") and is presented on the accrual basis of accounting.

The information in this schedule is presented in accordance with the requirements of Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations ("CFR") Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards*. Therefore, some amounts presented in the schedule may differ from amounts presented in, or used in the preparation of, the basic financial statements.

NOTE 2. DE MINIMIS INDIRECT COST RATE

The County chose not to use the 10% de minimis cost rate for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2021.

NOTE 3. NON-CASH AWARDS

The County did not receive non-cash federal awards during the year ended June 30, 2021.

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

SECTION I SUMMARY OF AUDIT RESULTS

Type of auditor's report issued	Unmodified
Internal control over financial reporting: Material weaknesses identified?	YesXNo
Significant deficiencies identified not considered to be material weaknesses?	Yes <u>X</u> None Reported
Noncompliance material to financial statements noted?	Yes <u>X</u> No
Federal Awards Internal control over major programs: Material weaknesses identified?	Yes <u>X</u> No
Significant deficiencies identified not considered to be material weaknesses?	Yes _X_ None Reported
Type of auditor's report issued on compliance for major programs	Unmodified
Any audit findings disclosed that are required to be reported in accordance with the Uniform Guidance?	Yes <u>X</u> No
dentification of major programs:	
CFDA Number 20.106	Name of Federal Program or Cluster Department of Transportation Airport Improvement Program
Dollar threshold used to distinguish between Type A and Type B programs:	\$750,000
Auditee qualified as low-risk auditee?	X Yes No

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

SECTION II FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS AND RESPONSES

None reported.

SECTION III
FEDERAL AWARDS FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS

None reported.

SCHEDULE OF PRIOR YEAR FINDINGS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

None reported.